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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Money and Stocks.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Gold closed 112⅝; money [illegible] active and strong; stocks [illegible] strong. Western Union 77¼; Quicksilver ...; Pacific Mail, 37¾; Mariposa, 8; Wells Fargo ...; N. Y. C., 111½; Erie, 17⅞; Panama, 134¼; U. S. bonds 102⅞; Central bonds, 10 ...

Winslow Makes Good His Escape.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Winslow, the Boston forger, [illegible] to the steamship *Rotterdam*, which [illegible] him and family for Rotterdam on Friday. There is no extradition treaty with Holland. Winslow forgeries are now figured as high as [illegible] It is believed he has taken very little with him in his flight.

Meeting of Creditors.

... Jan. 27.—The creditors of Jordan Clark, who were recently compelled to suspend on [illegible] the falsification of their books by Sand[illegible] book keeper, met to-day. The liabilities [illegible] $382,000 and assets $151,526. The books [illegible] kept in such a manner that it is impossible to arrive at the actual state of facts.

Edwin Booth's Creditors.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Creditors of Edwin Booth [illegible] day and declared a dividend [illegible] per cent.

Dividend in Bonds.

... of Turner Bros., bankers, has decided to declare a dividend, not in cash, but in [illegible] and Western railway bonds, of which [illegible] to the amount of one million.

Indictments—Whisky Frauds.

... Jan. 27.—Among the indictments yesterday by the grand jury of the U. S. court, three true bills found against A. C. Hesing, one against [illegible] and one against J. N. Hoyt, late deputy [illegible] of internal revenue of this district. [illegible] charge in the indictments is that of [illegible] to defraud the government, and it is [illegible] of the grand jury in these cases has [illegible] without such testimony as warrants [illegible] probability of conviction.

McKee Trial—Defense Opened.

... Jan. 27.—On opening the defense in the [illegible] this morning, Voorhees, for McKee, [illegible] that no argument would be offered un[illegible] the case was all closed.

... was recalled and testified that McKee [illegible] him money for any purpose whatever [illegible] intended to qualify Fitzroy's testimony [illegible] told him that he paid Megrue $2,500 [illegible] to keep him quiet.

... Engleger, a rectifier, was presented in [illegible] jurisdiction of the ex-Deputy Collector Con[illegible]. One of the Government witnesses swore [illegible] Con[illegible] burned the stub books and [illegible] the office of the collector of internal revenue [illegible] Sunday, when nobody was there but the [illegible].

... Jan. 27.—It is said in addition to [illegible] already commenced in Parkman [illegible] claim case, is that of Wm. K. Bars[illegible] [illegible] office, who appears to have been [illegible] examination passed the case, and who [illegible] to the revenue department the [illegible] present of a gold watch as consideration. [illegible] Commissioner Haines' bail is fixed at [illegible] not being able to obtain here he is [illegible] to get in Pennsylvania.

... St. Louis special says the government, [illegible] the McKee case, after examining [illegible] of witnesses, closed their case, and the [illegible] will begin the opening of their side to-day. [illegible] opinion is the prosecution made a [illegible] against McKee, though not as strong as [illegible] against Joyce and McDonald. The result [illegible] very much upon the nature of the de[illegible] [illegible] McKee's lawyers will depend al[illegible] on their ability to impeach govern[illegible] on the score of bad character.

Indian Nation to be Inspected.

... I. T., Jan. 27.—Col. E. C. Watkins, [illegible] Indian inspector under instructions [illegible] Interior Department, visited the different [illegible] the Territory to generally inspect the In[illegible]. He has visited the capital and lead[illegible] of different nations, and reports the [illegible] a flourishing condition, with good at[illegible] of scholars, and the promise from the [illegible] of different parties that they shall be [illegible] in future. We glean the following [illegible] of the report: That no change [illegible] form of government of the five na[illegible] be acceptable to the Indian people, and [illegible] will be recommended other than the possible [illegible] of a United States court at some point [illegible] Territory, the officers other than the judge (?) [illegible] jurors to be selected from the body of the [illegible] taking in Indian citizens of dif[illegible] nations. He has examined the [illegible] to citizenship in the Cherokee nation [illegible] of these claims are illegal, and a refer[illegible] of others to further investigation by the [illegible] Association. What his report will be as re[illegible] [illegible] of union agencies will not be made [illegible] pending investigation at Washington. [illegible] still in charge. Col. Watkins [illegible] to-day.

Northampton Bank Robbery.

... Jan. 27.—Later details of the robbery of the Northampton National Bank on Tuesday night, [illegible] state the result is something ap[illegible]. The table of securities taken shows a total [illegible]. Of course much of this is not negoti[illegible] so it is difficult to estimate the real loss to the [illegible] and depositors. The bank officers offer a re[illegible] of $25,000 for the return of the property and [illegible] of the burglars. The loss falls compara[illegible] light on the bank,—the greater part of the [illegible] belonging to special depositors.

... Jan. 27.—The burglars who entered the Northampton bank Wednesday night first se[illegible] the cashier in his home and taking from [illegible] keys of the vault took a large amount of [illegible], a considerable portion not being nego[illegible].

The robbers entered the house of the cashier [illegible], bound, gagged and guarded him for four [illegible] seven people. They compelled him to [illegible] the combination of the safe vault and [illegible] until they knew the night watchman had [illegible] home. Then going into the vault and safe [illegible] only one of the four keys needed they took a [illegible] amount of securities. An expert had to be [illegible] from New York and the lock was not [illegible] until early this morning. Cashier Whittle[illegible] [illegible] to give the three combinations to [illegible] the outer inner and chest doors gave [illegible] wrong twice and thrice, but the burglars [illegible] down and made him repeat them. Of [illegible] they caught him in the attempt to mislead [illegible] the exhibition of a pistol compelled him [illegible] truth, though he told them that four keys [illegible] to open the patent lock, three of [illegible] at the house of the other bank officers. [illegible] A. M. he was taken to a down-stairs bed[illegible] whole family were gagged and four of [illegible] withdrew to operate on the bank [illegible] after Mrs. Whittlesey succeeded in free[illegible], giving the alarm from a window [illegible] party were speedily liberated, and [illegible] cashier (Whittlesey) still wearing hand[illegible] went to the bank. A clever workman soon [illegible] a key, and all the persons handcuffed [illegible]. An examination of the bank show[illegible] the cracksmen had [illegible] the outer door [illegible] apparently balked by the safe lock, lack [illegible] of the requisite four keys. They tried [illegible] of the door with bars and wrenched [illegible] which served as an index for work[illegible] combination. They were entirely unmo[illegible] the watch having gone home. There is [illegible] that six and perhaps all of them [illegible] the six o'clock train. Five had tickets pre[illegible] bought. One paid his fare. Many of the [illegible] were home made. The gags were [illegible] balls, pierced with stiff wire. The masks [illegible] legs, some with 1 hole and some [illegible]. When the robbers saw that Whittlesey was [illegible] them carefully for some marks [illegible] they blindfold him, but he observed one [illegible] of a very commanding stature. The robbers left to guard the premises [illegible] the house, took their departure in season [illegible] the Springfield train. At the latest ad[illegible] no information had been received of [illegible]. The funds taken are as follows: Missouri [illegible] bonds, $15,000; [illegible] Pacific share [illegible] $100; [illegible] Lake Shore & Michigan Central $1000; [illegible] Ohio & Mississippi [illegible] mortgages, $[illegible] bonds, $35,000; Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe [illegible] Fort Wayne, Jackson & Saginaw, $[illegible] Ogdensburg & Lake Champlain, $4000; Mis[illegible] Pacific, $30,000; Registered stock and bonds [illegible] United States and various corporations [illegible] $300,000; Greenbacks and National bank [illegible] Detroit, Lansing & Lake Michigan [illegible] New York & Erie bonds, $7000; Mar[illegible] $1,000; Hudson river railroad bonds $[illegible].

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—A dispatch received [illegible] the treasury from Northampton, Mass., states [illegible] $9,000 in unsigned five dollar notes [illegible] were secured by the burglars on the night [illegible].

Asking for a Subscription to the New Orleans Pacific R. R.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 27.—A large meeting was held [illegible] to encourage subscriptions to the New Orleans Pacific Railway. Wm. Black presided. [illegible] exchange presided. The following resolu[illegible] were passed:

Resolved, New Orleans as an emporium of ex[illegible] and import should be connected by [illegible] convenient point with [illegible] and railroad communication [illegible] established between her shipping [illegible] States and Territories above named.

Resolved, Such communication would, in the [illegible] of experts in the trade [illegible] greatly enhance the value of real estate and [illegible] remunerative employment to [illegible].

Resolved, That the route planned in the [illegible] New Orleans and Pacific Railway have the ap[illegible] of this meeting.

Resolved, That we urge the attention of [illegible] portions of our owners of real estate and [illegible] citizens generally to the benefit to be deriv[illegible] subscriptions to the stock of this railway as [illegible] must speedy construction.

Resolved, That the general assembly of Louisiana [illegible] respectfully requested to adopt in favor of said [illegible] any legislation which may lawfully facili[illegible] the progress of the enterprise, it being well understood, however, that no pecuniary aid can be now constitutionally granted to any railroad by the State.

Resolved, That our Senators and representatives in the Congress of the United States be respectfully requested to urge as part of the measure now pending to grant United States aid to the Texas Pacific road, and to a road to connect the same with New Orleans, and that such aid be granted to New Orleans and Pacific railroad.

A Plan to Rob the Express Foiled.

TOLEDO, Jan. 27.—A well laid plan to rob the express car of the night express, coming east from Chicago last night, was discovered and frustrated. All the parties were arrested. The officials of the Express Co. in this city received information of the plot nearly a week ago, and Superintendent Corr and Agent Chapin, together with the chief police and two detectives, left the city last night and joined the east bound express at Archibald, Ohio, stationing themselves in the express and baggage cars. At Wauseon four men, former employés of the railway company, got on board, and as soon as the train was well under way proceeded to bore out a part of the panel in the door of the express car, during which a preconcerted signal was given and the officers in waiting pounced upon and secured the party, who are in jail here. The safe contained $275,000 currency and over $125,000 bullion.

Burroughs, the Wife Murderer Insane.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—The trial of Joseph Burroughs, in Brooklyn, for the murder of his wife, in progress during the week, was to-day brought to a close. The jury, under the direction of the court, found him not guilty of the crime because of insanity. He was sent to the lunatic asylum.

Good Market for American Goods in England.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Jan. 26.—The agent of the Border City Mills, just returned from England, reports finding a better market there than in this country, and 25,000 pieces per week will be exported by his mills; 30,000 pieces have already been shipped.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.

Windham presented a petition of the citizens of Minnesota asking an appropriation for the improvement of Red river of the north. He also presented a statement showing the increase of business on that river during the last year; ordered printed.

Hamilton presented the memorial of the delegation of Choctaw, Creek and Cherokee Indians now here, asking the repeal of certain acts granting lands in the Indian territory to railroads; referred.

Boutwell presented a report prepared by the chief clerk of the Treasury Department and submitted to the secretary in December, 1872, in regard to erroneous practices in accounting in the treasury which have grown up in usage or have been authorized by law. Boutwell said when the report was prepared a bill was submitted to the committee on ways and means of the House, which was approved by that committee and passed by the House but failed to pass the Senate. That bill was for the purpose of correcting all such erroneous practices. He thought the report prepared by the chief clerk of sufficient importance to be printed for the use of the Senate, and therefore moved to have it printed; agreed.

Sargent submitted a preamble and resolutions reciting the provisions of the third section of the act of July 1st, 1862, in regard to and for the construction of a railroad from the Missouri river to the Pacific ocean, to the effect that the land grants of said road, not disposed of within three years after the completion of the road, should be disposed of for settlement at the price therein named, etc., and directing the committee on public lands to inquire at what dates said road was completed, if the time fixed for the sale of such lands has expired, and what further legislation is necessary to carry into effect the act of 1862 above referred to; agreed to.

The morning hour having expired, the Chair laid before the Senate the unfinished business, being the bill to confirm pre-emption and homestead entries of public lands within the limits of railroad grants in cases where such entries had been made under regulations of the land department.

Morrill moved that the unfinished business be laid aside informally, that the Senate might proceed with the consideration of the bill to pay interest on 3.65 District of Columbia bonds. The motion to lay aside the homestead bill was rejected.

The pending amendment being that submitted yesterday by Howe, providing that nothing in the act shall be construed to affect the title which the State of Wisconsin, or its assignees, may have to lands granted to the State to aid in constructing railroads, approved June 3, 1856, after debate a vote was taken on the amendment of Howe, and it was rejected—yeas 8, nays 41.

Howe then submitted an amendment providing that the commissioner of the general land office shall not hereafter restore such lands to market without authority from Congress; rejected—yeas 12, nays 19.

Howe next submitted an amendment providing that nothing in the act shall be held to confer upon the general land office power to restore to market any land once granted to a State for railroad purposes; rejected.

Cameron submitted a motion to strike out of the 2d section the words "or which the grantee was in default in the performance of any of the conditions imposed by such grant," so that the section should read, that all such pre-emption and homestead entries which may have been made by permission of the land department, or in pursuance of the rules and instructions thereof, within the limits of any land grant at any time subsequent to the expiration of such grant, shall be deemed valid and in compliance with the laws, and a making of the proof required shall entitle the holder of such claim to a patent therefor; agreed to.

The bill having been considered as in committee of the whole was reported to the Senate and the amendment made by the committee was agreed to.

The question being on the passage of the bill the yeas and nays were ordered and it was passed. Yeas 41, nays 9. The bill as passed is as follows:

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Congress assembled, That all pre-emption and homestead entries or entries in compliance with any law of the United States of public lands made in good faith by actual settlers upon a tract of land of not more than 160 acres each within the limits of any land grant prior to the time when notice of the withdrawal of the lands embraced in such grant was received at the local land office of the district in which such lands are situated, or after their restoration to market by order of the general land office, and where the pre-emption and homestead laws have been complied with and the proper proofs thereof have been made by parties holding such tracts or parcels, they shall be confirmed and patents for the same shall issue to the parties entitled thereto. That when at the time of such withdrawal as aforesaid a valid pre-emption or homestead claim existed upon any lands within the limits of any such grants which afterwards were abandoned and, under the decisions and rulings of the land department, were re-entered by pre-emption or homestead claimants who have complied with the laws governing pre-emption or homestead entries or shall make the proper proofs required under such laws, such entries shall be deemed valid and patents shall issue therefor to the persons entitled thereto. That all such pre-emption and homestead entries which may have been made by permission of the land department within the limits of any land grant at any time subsequent to the expiration of such grant shall be deemed valid, and a compliance with the laws and the making of the proof required shall entitle the holder of such claim to patents therefor.

On motion of Morrill of Maine, Howe's bill to provide for the payment of the interest on the 3.65 District of Columbia bonds was taken up so as to make it the unfinished business to-morrow, and the Senate adjourned.

SENATORIAL CAUCUS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—The Senators held a caucus to-day concerning their representation on the proposed resident executive committee. The prevalent opinion expressed was that not less than six Senators should be members, so as to equalize the House representation. As the result of a long discussion Senators Stevenson, Gordon and Walker were appointed a committee to confer with the chairman and report to an adjourned meeting.

House.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—A question of privilege was raised by [illegible] [illegible] remarks by [illegible] of Kentucky some days ago, which were regarded as [illegible] Ward, clerk of the House, [illegible] [illegible] the time agreed [illegible] from the report of his speech in the *Congressional Record* [illegible] [illegible] however, [illegible] [illegible] of the House [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Knott of Kentucky allowed to make a statement to [illegible] of the clerk. The House [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the subject first to the committee [illegible] [illegible] of Congress that Ward [illegible] salary [illegible] [illegible] Knott [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

[illegible] to the pay of Cannon's [illegible] with [illegible].

Hoar of Massachusetts criticised the bill [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] as being too broad and recalled the time [illegible] anti-slavery newspapers were thus shut out of the mails as incendiary publications.

Cannon defended the bill from Hoar's criticism and claimed that the bill was devised for the purpose of preventing the circulation of obscene matter through the mails.

Garfield—Representatives of the House ought to be careful in this class of legislation, and recalled necessity [illegible] his danger [illegible] character, the fact that four years ago the publisher of a New York paper was sent to the penitentiary for three years for publishing a contribution from George Francis Train, wholly illogical in its character, deriding the ordinary received notions of the Trinity, but in which not an obscene or scurrilous word was used.

Cannon then moved the recommittal of the bill, and expressed his desire to go before the committee that he might show by recent transactions in Brooklyn the impropriety of such law. He pledged himself to show a special case of oppression against an honorable and innocent man that required an amendment to the law, but in a very different way from that proposed.

Bland suggested such would exclude from the mails newspapers containing a report of Beecher's trial.

Cannon avowed himself to be in favor of excluding from them whatever newspaper or book circulated the reports of trials of an obscene character or of a character calculated to corrupt the morals of the country.

Hoar of Massachusetts said in his judgment this bill very clearly exposed the press of the country to a danger a hundred fold greater than the one contained in the Poland bill, which so justly excited the press of the country recently. Whenever a jury in any locality should find that a paper contained matter which might be devoted to a purpose which the jury deemed not only indecent but immoral, that jury might convict the man who sent it or the man who received it through the mail, and the postmaster might exclude the paper from the mails. If the bill was to be recommitted he wished to bring out this point in the hearing of the House, so that the new law might correct the great danger to which the press and people were exposed. The bill was recommitted.

Herford from the committee on commerce reported back adversely the bill to establish a department of commerce; laid on the table.

The House went into committee of the whole, Haskins in the chair, on the military academy appropriation bill.

Banning addressed the committee. He spoke of the times being hard, money being scarce, taxation heavy, and it was the duty of Congress to cut off every unnecessary expenditure and exercise the most rigid economy. In doing this, much aid or assistance might not be expected from the other (the Republican) side of the House, because his (the Democratic) side had taken away the luxury which the Republicans had enjoyed at the public expense and had exposed to the country their extravagance and wicked waste of public money. He was not surprised that the Republican members charged the reductions in this bill to the ignorance of the committee which reported it, because Republican legislators arrogated to themselves all wisdom and regarded the people as ignorant. Success had crazed the brains and turned the heads of the members of the Republican party, until in place of Lincoln, Stanton and Chase battling for freedom and against fraud and corruption, the country was burdened with the present extravagant administration with its whisky and its Indian ring, its Credit Mobilier, its Pacific Mail subsidies and its real estate pool. He trusted no Democratic member would be diverted from the path of duty by such Republican maneuvering as had been seen on the amnesty bill. Theirs was a plain, straightforward duty, easy to comprehend. It was the investigation and exposure of all frauds and the reduction of the burdens of the people by cutting off every unnecessary expenditure. Coming down to the details of the bill he argued in justification of the reductions made in regard to the pay of professors and cadets.

Randall, chairman of the committee on appropriations, replied to the criticism made on the bill in yesterday's debate. He disclaimed all desire to embarrass the efficiency of the West Point Academy. If he thought the bill would have such an effect he would not advocate it. He showed that under the bill the pay and emoluments of the senior professor would be $4,000 a year, and of the junior professors $3,400, and he thought that fair and liberal. These professors had an advantage over professors of other colleges in the fact that in their old age they had the privilege of being retired on three-fourths pay. The proposition stripped of all its tinsel was whether $4,000 a year was sufficient for the senior professors and $3,400 for the junior professors. On the question of the pay of cadets he showed that the increase made in 1867 was only in the shape of an allowance of an additional ration, and he claimed that in point of fact the cadet had no interest in the matter, inasmuch as his entire pay went to his support, and none of it ever went into his pocket, except that at the end of four years $66, being a saving of $2 per month, was given him for the purchase of a military suit. There was not the slightest feeling on the part of the committee to interfere in any particular with these young men. It would be far from him to embarrass these young gentlemen, who hoped to be, and probably would be, of as much service to the country as their predecessors in the academy. He wanted to repel the idea that there had been any purpose on the part of the committee to embarrass the administration of West Point Academy, which had shed so much honor on the country.

Holman, a member of the committee, admitted that the reduction of the pay of the cadets seemed rather ungracious, therefore he was anxious that the real facts should appear, which showed that instead of this being a reduction it was in fact a large increase over what the cadets had received in times corresponding in point of exigencies with the present day. From 1805 to 1845 the allowance of cadets had been only $16 a month; from 1845 to 1857 $20 a month; from 1857 to 1864, which covered a period of great expensiveness, $30 a year. The proposition now is simply to go back to the pay of that period, except that it was increased by $10 a year, and he had no doubt whatever that the allowance of $540 per year would be ample.

Coming down to the pay of the professors he argued that the provisions of the bill in respect to them were extremely liberal. In conclusion he said this was the first of a series of bills to be reported by the committee on appropriations. He therefore appealed to the members not to let their sympathies in favor of West Point academy get the better of their judgment. If their judgment governed them this bill would pass substantially as reported, and if it did, then the people, who were now looking to Congress with an earnestness never before known, would begin to breathe freely and to judge in hope.

Danford stated that the co-operation of the Republican side of the House would be given in all needed reforms, but he believed that cutting down the pay of West Point cadets was a retrenchment uncalled for by any party or by any portion of the people.

Wilson of Georgia said he had thought to himself how he would feel after having voted to cut down the pittance allowed West Point cadets. Whether or not he could look an honest boy in the face, and he found he should be ashamed to commence reduction in that direction. Why had not the committee on appropriations reported a bill to cut down the pay of members?

Holman—My friend should not be too anxious about that; he shall have an opportunity to vote upon that proposition. We propose to have retrenchment all along the line.

Wilson—That is all right. When that bill is brought in I will support it readily. If the theory of our friends on the other side is that we must cut down the salary of every officer of the government, let us have a chance to vote upon it and let every man be responsible for his vote. I find no difficulty in screwing up my courage to the point of voting against an appropriation which is too large, nor will I find any in voting to cut down my own salary if it will conduce to the happiness of the gentlemen on the other side; but I tell them they are demoralizing their own friends when they ask us to cut down the pay of West Point cadets.

Without action on the bill the committee rose and the House adjourned.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Pacific Railway Indebtedness.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—In response to a resolution of the Senate the Secretary of the Treasury to-day communicated to that body a statement of his action under the law of June 22, 1874, providing for the collection of the amounts due the United States from the Pacific railroad companies for the percentum of their net earnings required by the act of July 1, 1862, to be paid into the U. S. Treasury to constitute a sinking fund. It appears from this statement that demands were made by the Secretary of the Treasury upon the treasurers of the respective railroad companies as follows: On Nov. 1, 1874, [illegible] the Union Pacific Company for $[illegible]; On Nov. 31, 1874, on the Kansas Pacific for $[illegible]; On Nov. [illegible] on the Central Branch of the Union Pacific for $[illegible]; On Oct. 31, 1874, on the Sioux City and Pacific for $[illegible]; On Nov. [illegible] 1874 on the Central Pacific for $[illegible]. The amounts of these demands were based upon the earnings reported by the companies from the dates of the completion of their roads. All of said companies having refused to pay the sums thus demanded within sixty days from such demands, the Secretary first so certified the facts to the Attorney General, and his duty under the act in question [illegible] thereupon [illegible]. From the reports [illegible] the United States Attorneys of California, Kansas, [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the Secretary of the Treasury, it appears, however, that suits were brought against all the companies [illegible] [illegible] during the [illegible] 1874, and that these suits are still pending.

Chinese Immigration.

WASHINGTON, Jan. [illegible]—[illegible] committee [illegible] [illegible] adopted a [illegible] the joint resolution [illegible] [illegible] Representatives [illegible] requesting the President [illegible] [illegible] to have the existing treaties [illegible] government with that of China [illegible] [illegible] immigration [illegible] to the United States [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] of the House to the [illegible] [illegible] of the California legislature on that subject.

Civilized Indians to be Remitted to State Control.

CHICAGO, Jan. [illegible]—The *Times*' Washington special says [illegible] the [illegible] transfer [illegible] of the civilized Indians whose [illegible] are in States to State governments [illegible] with the approval of all members. The Indians in [illegible] only question being whether States will consent to assume this control. Of course the United States government, by its treaties, is bound to perform its part of the contract which it has made with the Indians, but it is believed the Indians, as well as the people of the States, will be glad to have the former put on some footing with other residents in the same neighborhood. For example there is apparently no longer any reason why the Indians of Cattaraugus county, New York, should be treated as wards of the nation, while there are many reasons why their lands should be divided among them, and they become citizens.

Woman's Suffrage Convention.

WASHINGTON, Jan. [illegible]—The third annual convention of the Woman Suffrage Association began to-day, Mrs. M. J. Gage presiding. The proceedings were opened with prayer by Rev. Olympia Brown. Fred Douglass read a speech in favor of woman's suffrage.

Distribution of Greenbacks.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—The Secretary of the Treasury to-day directed the distribution of $[illegible] in greenbacks, that amount being 80 per cent. of the new National Bank currency issued during the present month. This will leave the outstanding greenback circulation at $371,[illegible].

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Chinese War Looked For.

LONDON, Jan. 27.—Private letters from naval officers on the China station are present, though the Chinese difficulty has blown over, the general belief among European residents is that the Celestials are bent on fighting sooner or later. The admiral has sent a man of war to each treaty port to protect the British interests in case of an emergency.

Writs Served on Gen. Schenck, American Minister.

The *Daily News* is informed that writs were yesterday served on Gen. Schenck, American minister, Albert Grant, a noted financier, and others now or formerly connected with the Emma Mining Company.

Signal Victory for the Turks.

VIENNA, Jan. 27.—The *Neue Freie Presse* is informed that the Turks yesterday achieved a signal victory over the insurgents, forcing the road leading from Trebigne to Ragusa. The insurgents retired in disorder.

Political Elements in the French Senate.

LONDON, Jan. 26.—A *Times* Paris telegram says it seems certain that the senate in no case will contain a purely ministerial majority, as M. Buffet understands the term. The cabinet could only find a majority by the support of four anti-Republican groups, including the irreconcilable Bonapartists and Ultra Legitimists, or by a union of the Moderate Left with the Ministerialists. M. Buffet must renounce the least co-operation from the Moderate Left. The Leon Say and Ferry incident has placed an impassable barrier between the Left Centre and him. M. Buffet then can only govern with the four groups of the Right. He resolutely pushes the Moderate Left toward the Radical Left, and himself becomes the prisoner of the Bonapartists of all shades, being forced at the same time to rely on the support of the Legitimists. Such a combination would be the signal for most disastrous combinations. If France is really to be saved another policy must prevail—a policy liberal, moderate and firm, again full violence and agitation. This policy is only possible with the Left Centre. Happily the good sense and honest ideas of President MacMahon suffice to reassure France, and we may be certain that the next session will open under a cabinet realizing the promise of fifth and summoning around it the moderate men of all parties.

French Statesman Dead.

PARIS, Jan. 26.—Hippolite Dussard, statesman, is dead.

Meeting of Senatorial Delegates.

PARIS, Jan. 26.—Another meeting of the Senatorial delegates elected for the Department of the Seine was held to-day. Thiers, Gambetta and Victor Hugo were present. There was considerable discussion and the meeting ultimately terminated without passing any resolution or arranging for another meeting. The leaders seemed to recognize the impossibility of arriving at any solution on the present occasion. At the conclusion of the meeting Gambetta stated that several names will be returned at the first ballot for Senators, and it necessary an agreement would certainly be established at the second ballot.

Only One Firm Failed at Riga.

RIGA, Russia, Jan. 26.—The first dispatch about the failures here yesterday is incorrect. One large firm—not two—failed. Its liabilities are $1,656,200 and assets $17,000. The latter will be difficult to realize. The suspension of the local bank is confirmed.

International Postal Union.

BERNE, Jan. 26.—The International Postal Congress has agreed to admit British India and the French colonies into the postal union. The question of admitting other colonies is reserved until next congress, the time for meeting of which will be appointed to-morrow.

Appointment of Archbishop of Vienna Approved.

VIENNA, Jan. 26.—The Emperor of Austria, on the 12th inst., formally approved the appointment of Monsignor Kutschker to be archbishop of Vienna.

The Political Constitution of the Cortes.

LONDON, Jan. 26.—A Madrid special says the opposition in the Cortes will include three Republicans—Castelar, Serrachara and Anglada; three Radicals—the Marquis of Sardoal, Condereus and Olavarieta; from thirty-two to forty Constitutionalists—among them Sagasta, Lalaguer, Ulloa, Camacho and Romero Ortiz; fifteen to twenty Neo Catholic Moderados, and thirty-five to forty partisans of Catholic unity who will support the government generally except on the religious question. The *Espana*, a clerical organ, reports that the elections were not held immediately after Alfonso was proclaimed king, in which case the triumph of Catholic unity would have been assured. This utterance is thought to indicate that the principles of religious unity will be sustained.

War in Spain—Battle Going On.

SAN SEBASTIAN, Jan. 26.—Gen. Quesada's division has carried several important Carlist positions between Hernani and Lasarte, at Loconitid, Antuno [illegible] with the right wing resting on Urnieta. The division of Catchana's troops is operating on the left with the object of reaching Arcchulegui. It has occupied the heights commanding the road between Oyarzun and Astigarraga. Gen. Martinez has returned to San Sebastian after visiting the line of battle at Renteria. Gen. Morales' division is acting as a reserve at Carrateras Arteyzun.

LONDON, Jan. 27.—Late advices from Renteria report the battle continues to-day between Arcchegui and Santiago Mendi. Intelligence has been received from Pasages that the Carlists in force occupy positions north of Ordozhi. An Alfonsist force has landed at Guetaria. A dispatch dated Hendaye and received in Paris claims that the Carlists have been defeated.

A special to the *Times*, dated Hendaye, Jan. 26th, says the Alfonsists have withdrawn from both banks of the Carlists, but still occupy positions they captured around Hernani. Two battalions landed at Guetaria have captured the Carlist positions commanding that town.

Attempted Assassination.

BUCHAREST, Jan. 26.—A person once employed by the government named Barakiveslo, who had been discharged from his position for embezzlement and refused reinstatement by the Prime Minister, yesterday attempted to assassinate him while he was going to the Chamber of Deputies. He did not succeed, however, the minister being only slightly wounded in the face. The perpetrator was arrested.

Fire.

LONDON, Jan. 27.—A fire broke out in the New International railway station at Boulogne last night. At last accounts the flames were spreading and the building was threatened with total destruction.

The Austrian Note to be Presented to the Sultan.

VIENNA, Jan. 26.—The presentation of Andrassy's proposals to the Sultan is fixed for the beginning of February. Their acceptance by the Porte is considered certain.

Denial of Warlike Preparations in Austria.

BERLIN, Jan. 26.—The *Kreuz Zeitung* declares it has received from a well informed quarter in Vienna a decided denial of the reports of Austrian military preparations in view of eventualities in Turkey.

Turkish Insurrection—Turkish Successes.

A dispatch by telegraph from Ragusa reports that the Turks under Moukhtar Pasha have retaken the forts and entrenchments at Ralinan, which were captured by the Herzegovinians in the engagements of the 17th to the 19th inst.

A telegram to the *Times*, dated Stagno, Dalmatia, Jan. [illegible], [illegible] that the insurgents in Herzegovina have [illegible] their forces on the road to [illegible] and a battle is expected to take place to-day.

Austrian Corvette Sent to Crete.

In consequence of the rising in Crete an Austrian corvette has been ordered to that island. Twenty thousand extra workmen are engaged on the armaments at Pola.

Change in the Aspect of the Eastern Question.

LONDON, Jan. [illegible]—The Berlin correspondent of the *Times* telegraphs that the impending collision between the [illegible] and Montenegro [illegible] changed the aspect of the Eastern question. He [illegible] an important step in the Montenegrin [illegible] [illegible] that Turkey is determined to make war on Montenegro and says that article through at [illegible] a [illegible] of the insurrection and [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible]. It declares that Montenegro has sufficient ground to require [illegible] the [illegible]. If Turkey acts [illegible] Montenegro will be [illegible] from all restraint and [illegible] of [illegible] related by [illegible] if [illegible] the future of the Servian race. The article concludes: "No regard for any [illegible] or anything will [illegible] considerations."

Garibaldi Presiding at a Meeting of the Survivors of the Italian War.

LONDON, Jan. 25.—A dispatch from Rome reports that Garibaldi presided yesterday at a meeting of the survivors of the country's battles. His suggestion for the formation of an association of these survivors with branches through all Italy was unanimously adopted. Garibaldi appeared to be in excellent health. He was enthusiastically greeted by many Englishmen and Americans who were present at the meeting.

The Austrian Foreign Office wants a Copy of Secretary Fish's Note.

VIENNA, Jan. 26.—The Austrian Foreign Office recently intimated to Mr. Orth, the American Minister, its desire to have a copy of Secretary Fish's note to Mr. Cushing. Mr. Orth telegraphed the fact to Washington and asked for instructions. The American government declined to allow a copy to be given. It is rumored that another note on the Cuban question is impending.

VIENNA, Jan. 27.—The application to the American minister for a copy of the Cuban note was made by the foreign office so that an answer might be eventually made by Austria.

Gen. Kauffman to take Command.

A Vienna telegram reports that Gen. Kauffman will take command of southern Russia and Caucasus in the spring.

Bank of England.

LONDON, Jan. 27.—Bullion in Bank of England increased £265,000 during the past week. The proportion of reserve to liabilities 43⅛ per cent. The amount of bullion gone into bank on balance to-day £100,000.

Bank of France.

PARIS, Jan. 27.—Specie in Bank of France was increased 7,181,000 francs during the past week.

Unimportant Failures.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 27.—Two or three comparatively unimportant failures have followed that of Samuel Redford & Son, grain merchants. The uneasiness continues.

Decline of Trade in England.

SHEFFIELD, Eng., Jan. 27.—At an annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of Sheffield yesterday, the president referred to the startling decline of American trade, and said neither Sheffield nor Birmingham would ever have such an American trade as they had formerly. American and German manufacturers were pushing our goods in a corner, and producing by machinery articles of equal quality to those made by hand here, and have become successful competitors.

Fire.

BOULOGNE, France, Jan. 27.—Fire destroyed the refreshment and waiting room of the New International R. R. station. The freight and custom house departments were saved. The loss is heavy.

German Catholics Desirous of Submitting to the Falk Laws.

COLOGNE, Jan. 27.—The *Gazette* of this city says: Notwithstanding the reiterated denials of Ultramontane journals we learn from Berlin that the Catholic clergy and laymen are using their influence with the Pope to obtain his sanction for their formal submission to the Falk laws in the confident hope that though outwardly accepting they will be able to deprive them of their efficacy against the church. A pamphlet is announced from the pen of Herr Reichensperger, one of the most prominent leaders of his party, which is understood to be intended to clear the way for a proposed compromise.

The Bavarian *Pfaelzer Zeitung* says the Bavarian Minister of War has been stringently admonished from Berlin to discontinue the exemptions from conscription hitherto accorded to priests and theological students. The *Zeitung* says at the next conscription a fully ordained Capuchin priest and a number of students will be required to come.

War in Turkey.

RAGUSA, Jan. 27.—The following news is from Slavonic sources: A force of 1,800 Turks attacked the insurgents near Dubi on Tuesday. After a brief engagement the insurgents left the entrenchments and set fire to Dobovisk, near Trebigne. An insurgent reinforcement of 1,600 arriving on the ground at this time, the Turks were cut off from Trebigne and compelled to retreat to Drina.

Cardinal Antonelli is Well Again.

LONDON, Jan. 27.—A telegram from Rome says Cardinal Antonelli is in good health. Cardinal Bonaparte has been appointed Camerlingo of the Sacred College.

Postal Congress to Meet Again in London.

BERNE, Jan. 27.—The Postal Congress has resolved to hold the next meeting in London in June.

Spanish War.

SAN SEBASTIAN, Jan. 27.—Additional troops have been sent to Guitaria. The Carlists are concentrating large forces at Asteasu to cover Azepitia and Tolosa. The firing around Hernani continues.

Agitation for the Dethronement of Prince Milan.

LONDON, Jan. 27.—A Vienna special says a commission has been formed in seven Servian towns, including Belgrade, which openly agitates for the dethronement of Prince Milan.

The Insurrection in Turkish Provinces.

LONDON, Jan. 27.—The *Times* publishes a letter from Vienna, giving the following details of the insurrection in Turkish provinces: Peko Paulovics has issued a general order taking undivided command of the insurgent forces, banishing Ljubobratic and all foreign auxiliaries under pain of death. This is intended to emancipate the insurrection from the influence of the young Servian party, which is antagonistic to the Montenegrin part, and free it from identification with the political and national combination of South Slavonic politicians.

Times on the Direct Cable Rupture.

The *Times* in its financial article says: The charge has been made against the Direct United States Cable Company of having withheld from the stock exchange the information that the cable was broken is a serious one, and should be cleared up to the satisfaction of all interested. We think it right to mention that the statement made by us yesterday on the authority of the chairman of the company is positively contradicted. The information was, as we are informed, not received at the stock exchange till some minutes past 11. It is stated that the breakage was known to the company about an hour earlier.

Associates of the Royal Academy Elected.

F. Tonge and Lawrence Alma Tadema, artists, have been elected associates of the royal academy.

Notable Death.

[illegible] Gen. Henry William Stisted, C. B., is dead. He was the first Lieutenant Governor of Ontario, under the Dominion.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The Frazer river is reported full of floating ice.

Ten degrees below freezing at Victoria on the 22d inst.

It is thought the bark *Woodward*, wrecked at Useless Bay, can be raised and repaired.

The amount of coal shipped from Nanaimo in 1875 was 113,000 tons, against 81,397 tons in 1874.

William Beck, formerly proprietor of the London Hotel, died at the Victoria Insane Asylum on the 21st inst.

Mr. Thos. Tugwell, of Sooke, picked up the large gilt eagle that was wont to adorn the front of the lost *Pacific's* pilot house.

The body of John Sicker has been found among the driftwood of Lucosauck river, Chiliwhack, on the 21st inst. Sickler was a farmer and disappeared from his home very mysteriously in June last.

A wild bull cavorted around the streets for several hours last week, frightening women and children, making a great deal of confusion, some fun and a little damage. He was at last slaughtered in the street.

A periodical rejoicing in the name of *The Owl* made its first appearance at Victoria last week. It proposes to become the advocate of Cassiar's rights and to watch the proceedings of the legislative assembly with an owlish eye.

The steamship *City of Panama* took away the following amounts of treasure, shipped through Wells, Fargo & Co., on her last trip from Victoria: Bank British North America, $20,18[illegible]; Bank British Columbia, $14,7[illegible]; [illegible] Garesche, $[illegible]; total, $40,225.

All steam tugs and ocean steamers that navigate the Straits of Fuca or Puget Sound would do well to keep a sharp lookout for logs and snags, as owing to the extreme high tides the drift that has accumulated for years in the various spits is now promiscuously afloat.

In the supreme court of British Columbia last Monday judgment was rendered in the extradition case of Washington Territory vs. Jones, the court ruling that, in the absence of authority from the governor general of Canada to detain the prisoner, no action could be taken. It would have been otherwise had the prisoner been accused of an extradition crime and liable to be brought to trial; but the only act authorizing the extradition of a convicted criminal was the imperial act of 1843, and the machinery of the act (if in force) pointed out that in the cases it could only be [illegible] by the governor general acting on the application of a foreign state. The court refused to commit the prisoner as prayed, but left him to the remedy by habeas corpus for his release.

Manifestly Gen. Babcock intends to make a vigorous and determined defense in the case against him for complicity in the whisky frauds. He has employed ex-Attorney-General Williams as his counsel, who is industriously working up the case at Washington. That seems rather a curious place to be working up the case, but Judge Williams generally knows what he is about.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco Stock Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27.—Ophir 62⅞; Mexican 20½; Savage 23⅞; Chollar 95; B. & B. 63¾; H. & N. 61¼; Imperial 8⅞; Point 23⅞; Empire Mill 5⅞; Kentuck 12½; Alpha 22⅞; Belcher 32⅞; Confidence 22; Con Virginia 441; S. Nevada 22½; Lady Bryan 3⅞; Julia 15⅞; Cala 86½; Exchequer 1¾; Succor 2⅞; Union Con 10½; Overman 86½; Justice 28⅞; Knickerbocker 2⅞; Globe 1⅞; S. Hill 11⅞; Baltimore 8⅞; Utah 19⅞; Rock Island 4⅞; Caledonia 35; Dayton 6½; G. & C. 23⅞; Seg. Belcher 90.

EVENING BOARD.—Valley 2⅞; R. & E. 17; Jackson 2⅞; Eu Con 15½; Amn Flag 25c; Belmont 1⅞; Newark 40c; Eldo South 50c; Leopard 12⅞; Jefferson 7; Gila 2⅞; Panther 2⅞; N. Belle 3½; Hussey $1 45; Gen Thomas 10⅞; Manhattan 10; St. Patrick 4; Modoc 1⅞; N. Y. Con 1⅞; New Coso 1⅞; Mahogany 50c; Poorman 75c; Advance 7⅞; Coso Con 15⅞; Occidental 3⅞; P. Sheridan 1; A. Flat 2; Alta 5⅞; Woodville 2⅞; Senator 1; Seg. Caledonia 1⅞; L. Washn 3⅞; O. G. Hill 2; Kossuth 3⅞; Andes 3⅞; Mides 7; Florida 2; Pac 1⅞; Leviathan 1⅞; North Con Va 1⅞; Amazon 2; Morning Star 5⅞; Sullivan 1⅞; Trojan 1⅞.

Greenbacks—88½ buying, 89 selling.

The Swindler Rosenblatt.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27.—The case of Aaron Fleisbacker against Samuel Rosenblatt came up in the 12th district court yesterday evening, on an order for the chief of police (Ellis) to show cause why he should not be adjudged guilty of contempt in refusing to allow the deputy sheriff to arrest Rosenblatt, as Ellis was holding him on telegrams from New York, where he is wanted on account of extensive swindling operations. Judge Dangerfield this morning rendered a decision in favor of the position taken by Chief Ellis. Rosenblatt will probably go East in a few days in custody.

Central Pacific R. R. Case Laid Over.

The suit of the United States against the Central Pacific Railroad Company to recover 5 per cent. of the net earnings of the road has been laid over until Tuesday next, the circuit court being still busy with the Great Western Quicksilver Mining Company's case.

Antioch Case.

Arguments for the defense are being made in the Antioch distillery case to-day.

Examination of Rosenblatt Postponed.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27.—Samson Rosenblatt was again brought up in the police court to-day, but as the New York officer had been detained by the snow blockade the examination of the case was continued until Saturday.

Spalding Court Martial.

It is now believed, in naval circles, since the arrival of the *Pensacola*, that the Spalding court martial will be called before many days. While no orders have yet been received from Washington, announcing the names of the officers who shall pass judgment in Spalding's case, a general opinion prevails that Rear Admiral John J. Almy will be president of the court martial. The court martial will convene at Mare Island, but will be asked to hold its sessions in San Francisco, for the convenience of the merchants, who may be called as witnesses.

Los Angeles News.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 27.—The break in the Southern Pacific and Telegraph stage route has been repaired.

The roads are drying rapidly, and travel is resuming its wonted channels.

At Merced theater last night the Tennessee Jubilee Troupe, a full representation of colored citizens interspersed through the dress circle throughout, no display or feeling. The Fifteenth Amendment is accepted in Los Angeles.

Fatal Stabbing.

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 27.—A fatal affray occurred at San Pasqual on the 24th inst., wherein Claudio Arsabada stabbed and killed Andres Lopez.

Good Prospects for Fine Crops.

Advices from various parts of the country give the most cheering accounts of the great benefit of the late heavy rains to the grain and grass.

San Louis Rey and San Dieguito rivers are full of water, and San Diego river is running a good stream to the bay.

Arrival of the Pensacola with Admiral Almy.

VALLEJO, Jan. 27.—The U. S. steamship *Pensacola* arrived at Mare Island at half-past one this afternoon. An admiral's salute and response was fired upon her arrival.

In Suppression of Slander and Evil Speaking.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 27.—A bill was introduced in the Senate to-day, by Pierson, adding a new section to the penal code as follows: All original articles or correspondence hereafter printed in any newspaper or serial publication, published in this State, shall be printed in said newspaper or serial publication with the full real name of the author of such article or correspondence at the foot of such article or correspondence, and the editor or proprietor of any paper or serial publication in which such article or correspondence appears without such real full name of the author attached, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor; referred to judiciary committee.

NEVADA.

Snow Blockade Broken.

WELLS, Jan. 27.—All trains due to-day have passed the blockade. A frightful snow and wind storm, accompanied with intense cold, has been raging here all day.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

Business Failure.

SEATTLE, Jan. 27.—Reports from Utsalady are to the effect that Grennan & Cranney's mill shut down, and that the company has suspended. There seems to be no doubt as to the truth of the report.

OREGON.

Clackamas county has 21 postoffices, of which only one is a money order office.

A number of new and valuable books have just been added to the public library at Oregon City.

Hazlett, the "pilgrim printer," is in Southern Oregon, headed this way. Hazlett, about face!

Five hundred and fifty tons of wheat were brought into the basin at Oregon City last Saturday.

The Albany common council have concluded to abate the nuisance of fowls running at large in that city.

A party of six sports recently bagged one buck in a single day's hunting up in the region of the Santiam.

The Oswego Iron Works employ about 25 men, which is about one fourth the total number of people in the town.

There is a good deal of racing between the several steamers on the Upper Willamette now. Generally both claim a victory.

A man fell through the ice at Oregon City and luckily escaped drowning, because the water at that place was only a foot deep.

Mrs. Chas. Holds of Oregon City was recently burned quite badly in an attempt to carry a Christmas tree which was wrapped in flames out of her house.

THE TERRITORIES.

We are in receipt of the *Northern Star*, published at Snohomish (W. T.). It is a very fair specimen of the country newspaper.

Antoine Morse was held to answer a charge of highway robbery at Seattle last week. The prisoner was charged with robbing a squaw.

John Pinnell has sold his stage horses to Mr. W. H. Bow and has retired from the Seattle and Lake Washington passenger route.

Nearly two hundred million feet of logs were put into the waters of Puget Sound last year and one hundred and fifty teams were engaged in the business.

WORK DONE AND TO BE DONE.

BENTON COUNTY, Jan. 20, 1876.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

The address of the Independent Central Committee, of Douglas county, just published, enumerates much accomplished by the independent movement of two years ago, and the members of the Legislature chosen by the Independents. But it omits some things that party accomplished in the Legislature, and the savings to the State thereby. Among others is the change of the Board of Capitol Commissioners, choosing one from each of the three parties, and giving no party the control. All accounts agree that the money last year was honestly expended on the Capitol building, and a great deal more accomplished with it than during the two years previous under the party Democratic board. Then tens of thousands of dollars of the capitol appropriation were corruptly used to carry Marion county for the Democratic legislative ticket, there being three Senators to elect who held their seats for four years, and until after the U. S. Senatorial election of this year. Scores of men were employed that they might vote, when there was no work they could profitably do; others, competent, were discharged, who had no vote, or having would not give it to the prescribed ticket, and less competent ones employed. Republicans or Independents were given work, real or nominal, if they would vote the Democratic ticket. And thousands of dollars were wickedly squandered in this business. These facts were well understood by every man in the last legislature.

Now the public hears that the present board have accomplished far more work with the same expenditure, for the reason that they have used the money upon the building and not in elections, and I apprehend when we get the bills we will, in addition, find that the board has found it necessary to be in but a small part of the time the old one was, and that its personal expenses will be correspondingly less. And not the least beneficial result is the purifying of the elections by the non-expenditure of the public revenues in their control.

Among the salaries sought to be reduced by the last legislature, and defeated by the legerdemain of officers and candidates, was that of the State librarian from $600 to $300 per annum. It was argued by the friends of the resolution that the services of the librarian were fully rewarded by the free rent, stationery, lights, fuel, etc., which the incumbent had, and that young lawyers, students, etc., would gladly perform the duties for those benefits. On the other hand, the opponents of the resolution declared that if the salary was reduced, no one could be got to take the office. Well, the reduction was prevented, and the result has been that the elected librarian has not performed the duties at all, but has been merchandising in Salem, having employed a law student to perform the duties of librarian (and it is said that he has performed them well) for half the salary, he remaining in his store and putting the other half in his pocket, "just like finding it." And here we have a practical illustration of "getting the salaries and fees of offices so low that nobody will be found to accept them." That is one of the things not easy to do.

Some reduction was made in the fees of county clerks and sheriffs by the last legislature. But they are still nearly or quite one half too high. The Independent Convention of Multnomah county resolved that in the leading counties fees should be paid into the county treasury, and the offices of sheriff and clerk made salaried. Yet, no more to that end was made in the legislature. Under the present law the sheriffs and clerks of the twelve or fifteen large counties of the State receive each from $12,000 to $5,000 per annum. They ought to be paid salaries of from $5,000 to $1,500, and have no fees. The fees of notaries, justices, coroners, constables, etc., are likewise too high. If anybody doubts this, let him examine the fee bill in any minor suit or prosecution. It is not uncommon to see some petty offender fined "$5 and costs," amounting to $20, $30, and even $40! So of minor civil suits, the costs are usually more than the debt. If the next legislature cannot or will not perform the labor of making a systematic reduction of fees, it should by act reduce them 35 or 50 per cent. from the present rate.

Taken altogether, I know of no one hundred thousand people who pay so much to officers, support, or partially support, so many, pay so much for being governed, are so heavily taxed as we of Oregon. In addition to the taxes we pay in the shape of fees, there is no community I think which pays less than 1½ per cent per annum, while in some portions of the State all the levies amount to four per cent. No legitimate business can long pay such a tax and an end must somehow come. Either the authorities must reduce it, or property and business will be generally withdrawn from the State.

So, too, the fees of the state printer should be reduced from thirty to fifty per cent. Members of that craft inform me that the office would then be sufficiently profitable, and the scramble for it not less than it now is. And unless the next legislature reduces these fees they will have to stand for six years longer, for under the constitution, no act can take effect passed while the incumbent's term lasts. An act passed by the next legislature, changing the fees of State Printer, would take effect in 1878. If not passed till the election thereafter it would not take effect till 1882. Let this fact be borne in mind by the next legislature.

The interests of all tax payers require that the independents in all the counties in which they are in the majority should place a legislative ticket in the field for next June, and elect it. Let no party have the control of the legislature, and thereby will be promoted the INTERESTS OF THE STATE.

A two year old colt made a mile in 1:47 at Jacksonville the other day, which is good for the age.

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"A MOB WHOSE NAMES ARE UNKNOWN."

It is high time those antiquated institutions which we call courts of justice were abolished. They have outlived their usefulness and are altogether too expensive to be kept merely for show or as relics of a past age. If they were things that could be embalmed or put up in alcohol and preserved without any expense except the cost of storage, they might properly enough be packed away in that form for the entertainment and probably the edification of antiquarians. But in their present cumbrous costly form they are neither useful nor ornamental and should be abolished. The new tribunal presided over by the omnipresent Judge Lynch is less expensive and far more efficient. Its decisions are summary and final, making an end of litigation with such speed as must be extremely gratifying to that progressive class who have always been interesting themselves in the devising of short and easy methods to take the place of the tedious and annoyingly careful modes of procedure in the old fossil courts. The latest and far the most thorough case decided by Judge Lynch, is that which was determined two days ago at Charleston, West Virginia. It will be regarded as a leading case, no doubt, for some time and its influence be great toward the firm establishment of that court in other sections of the Union where there still appears to be some lingering affection for the effete institution that has so long hung like a millstone about the neck of this enterprising generation. The facts in that leading case were, in substance, as follows. A short time ago two men, Dawson and Estoph, were accused of the murder of one Lee, and were indicted therefor. This indictment was, of course, found in the old court, as the new one dispenses with such empty and senseless formalities. The counsel of the defense moved the court for a change of the place of trial on account of the prejudice of the people at Charleston against the defendants, rendering it impossible for them to have a fair trial there. The court took the motion under advisement. At this time, says the report, the court house yard was full of excited people, *"from the vicinity of where the murder was committed;"* and soon after the court took the motion for consideration, about 200 men proceeded to the jail, took out the defendants and hurried them off to an adjacent wood to hang them, according to Judge Lynch's method. Meanwhile a man named Hines, in, or on account of, an altercation with a Mr Dooley about the latter's wife, performed a surgical operation upon one of Dooley's jugular veins, from which he died. Hines was arrested. Hines was a white man, and Dooley was a negro. As soon as the 200, who carried away Dawson and Estoph, had got out of sight, the negroes of the town, to the number of about 50, proceeded to the jail and carried away Hines after the same manner. The bodies of the three victims were cut down from the branches of trees that afternoon. The culprits had been disposed of without any of the vexatious delays and technicalities of the old-fashioned procedure, and without benefit of clergy.

Why it was we can not imagine, but for some reason the district attorney suspected that the three persons whose bodies were found hanging to those limbs, had come to their death by violence, and he called the coroner, who called a jury of good and lawful men, to inquire into the cause of their decease. The jury made the necessary inquiry, and solemnly decided that the deceased met their deaths at the hands of "a mob whose names are unknown." That was putting it in the proper light. True, they knew who the mob about the court house were, for they were recognized as *people from the vicinity of where the murder was committed*. They also knew who carried off Hines, for they were recognized as *the negroes of the town*. These were the people who carried off the men, but who in the world it was that hung them up in the trees, no prudent man would dare to conjecture, so great was the mystery that shrouded the case. Of course, no body will be hauled up before the old fogy courts for taking the lives of these men, for after careful investigation by the district attorney and coroner—who should have been in better business—and a jury, it is impossible to obtain any clue to the perpetrators of the act. It was evidently a mob, but what mob? No one can tell. There were no circumstances tending to connect any particular mob with it. Surmises would be vain, and might be unjust to some of those excellent people who filled the court house yard, and to those men and brethren who escorted Hines away from the jail. The Lynch system is perfect—even to the point of leaving no record to give trouble as is the case sometimes in the fossil system.

We have commented on this case at more than usual length, for two reasons. First because it must be a leading case in a system of jurisprudence that is becoming popular throughout the country, and secondly, because it shows in what praiseworthy manner the white people in the section of the Union where it occurred are teaching the colored people by the cogent argument of high example how to use and enjoy the liberty into which they were born so lately, and what encouraging aptitude is displayed by the colored citizens. This last aspect of the case is one which must impress every thoughtful person most pleasantly. It indicates that the black man is making substantial progress under the tutelage of his late master. Let the work go on the white man advancing to higher and still higher ground from day to day, and the colored man pressing close in his footsteps till the effete courts are abolished, the laws that trammel free action in order to protect those shams called the rights of persons and of property be swept away, and the entire system of delusions, frauds and rascalities, which we call civilization, be hustled out of the way, and the people return once again to that glorious but much abused estate of barbarism, which is according to nature's own great laws. True liberty can never be realized till the country is fully and in all respects under the domination of "a mob whose names are unknown."

HOW TO ECONOMIZE.

The House committee on appropriations seems to have adopted a false principle of action in their efforts at economizing. They seem to be attempting to reduce the expenditures of the government by dismissing some government officials and reducing the salaries of the others. This may, or not be well enough. If there are clerks, or other officials, whose services could be dispensed with, it is certainly wise to get rid of them, and if the salaries of those who remain are higher than they should be they might be reduced. But the real evil to which the financial doctors should direct their attention, they do not seem as yet to have noticed. This evil is to be found in the custom of attaching perquisites to many offices, and in allowing many office holders the right to employ extra clerks, or assistants, as they may think proper. To the office of President of the United States, for instance, perquisites to the aggregate amount of $30,000 are attached. The Postmaster General too, has the power to appoint mail agents, route agents, and the like, just as he may think proper.

Give to all the servants of the people from the President down to the porters in the several departments, fair, liberal wages, and abolish all extras. Give them plenty to live well upon—pay them the full value of their services, and then stop. If a cabinet officer wants a servant, or an equipage, let him hire the one, and buy the other out of his own salary, but prevent him from detaching a soldier from the army, or charging his carriage and horses to the contingent, or any other expense fund of his department. Pay the officers of the army a generous salary, and when on duty provide subsistence for them and the horses they may be obliged to have, and, when off duty, and when they have no horses, stop the subsistence and forage rations. Commute nothing.

By adopting such a rule as this, the temptation to be extravagant and to make improper use of the people's money will be almost wholly removed, and one of the largest leaks through which the money goes will be stopped.

There must be a deal of pleasure to the average Democratic reformer in contemplating the thoroughgoing efforts of the party of eternal principles to place the administration of public affairs, wherever he has control of them on the high moral ground which has been so loudly demanded by them of the Republicans. For example, behold the irreproachable and unapproachable honesty that characterizes the management of the New York City government since Boss Tweed is banished. That eminent public servant, Fitz John Porter, who was placed in charge of the docks, piers, &c of the city, on the recommendation afforded by the fact of his having been cashiered from the Union army for what looked wonderfully like treachery, on his own confession, has been in the habit of employing large numbers of persons as mechanics who knew nothing of the sort of work they had to do, in order to give them employment, and has certified for many months to accounts of a *blind man* as inspector of sewers. And yet he is reappointed by the Democratic mayor, and Boss Kelly has issued his order to the Democratic board of aldermen for the confirmation of the appointment.

The following lucid statement will, we do not doubt, be as interesting to our readers as it is to us.

A philosophic inquiry into the intricacies of the metaphysical requirements of the future, as well as contemplative reflection upon exigencies of anterior emergencies cannot fail to dispossess an unprejudiced intellect, uninfluenced by circumjacent temporalities, of the bias superimposable upon it by intense inward and outward contemplation of pseudo realities. Emerson in one of his profoundest essays speaking on this important subject in a strain of the loftiest transcendental eloquence fitly remarks that the essentials of a preconceived, purely non-substantial eventuality, wholly preclude the ultimate, or approximate definableness of ineffable verities, which in their pre-existent phase, sublilt and mystically transport the trembling soul, upon which they shed their mysterious, all pervading light to the aerial heights of the highest scientific possibilities.

We may remark that we have long considered this a remarkable exposition of transcendental philosophy.

The House judiciary committee report an amendment to the Constitution of the United States declaring the one term principle in the Presidency. Mr Frye proposes as a substitute, an amendment to the same purport, and lengthening the President's term to six years. The substitute is much the better proposition. Six years is a short enough term, and the frequency of national elections is a national evil.

APPRENTICESHIP

We referred the other day to an account by an eminent physician of the manner in which doctors are manufactured by the medical colleges at the rate of thousands per annum turned out to prey upon society with neither knowledge, experience, nor even honest purpose. We might have enlarged the statement to include young men and women who have not even been manufactured by any such training mill for any useful purpose whatever, but who rush into the professions, the arts, the trades resolved to win not only a living out of them but distinction, success and public respect.

The gate to success and money making, which is the most popular and attacked with the most sanguine ambition however is that of literature. The editor of a magazine or news paper must have nerves of steel if he be not worried out with the importunity of college graduates of fine literary taste, who feel themselves competent to fill any position in his office at a moment's warning, from that of proof reader to his own. Back of these come a pressing crowd of women, widows who must feed their children or see them starve, young girls, wives with invalid or drunken husbands, downright adventurers, none of whom can earn money by teaching, sewing, or any other head or hand craft, and therefore take to the pen as the "one business which requires no training." Nothing can be more pitiable than the appeals of these people, nothing more sanguine than their hopes. Their need is desperate, their talent they have been assured by friends is indisputable. Not only unconnected with the publishing business in some way can know how helpful a large this class is in the cities. They write, write, flood the tables of editors with poems, tales, essays, which come back to them or disappear in the waste paper basket.

They have the inside of the story too. They are hungry, and all clothed; they have as much natural ability as men who sit snugly inside the gates at which they knock, and it may be as much information. What then is lacking? Apprenticeship and hard work. No lad, whatever his ability, can earn distinction or money without work and that hard steady work in the line he chooses. No lad is such a fool as to undertake to build a house who had never handled trowel or hammer, and a woman knows that she must learn to boil and bake before she can prepare the simplest dinner. Art, literature, music, journalism are not more easily conquered that carpentry or cookery.

These sentences, we know, are platitudes to every intelligent reader. But for lack of knowing just these platitudes thousands of men and women are wasting their lives and small means in utterly hopeless effort. They answer that they have no time for prenticeships. They must have money or starve. After a year or two of disappointment they clutch eagerly at the lowest of bastard success, paint daubs for auctions, write unsavory ill paid matter for flash publications. Easy as is the descent into that hell, to come out of it is impossible.

There is but one remedy for this miserable condition of affairs. Let boys and girls—especially girls—be thoroughly taught one means of earning their bread while they are at home. When they are turned out on the world is no time to begin to learn to handle their tools. No matter what their social rank or expectations, give them this one weapon whose use they thoroughly understand with which to keep the wolf from the door. Make them teachers, artists, seamstresses, musicians, painters on china, typesetters, engravers—what you choose. But make them real skilled workers and not sham pretenders, hopeful, unable and good for nothing.

REPUBLICAN STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE

A meeting of the Republican State Central Committee of the State of Oregon will be held in the City of Portland on Wednesday the 16th day of February 1876 at 1 o clock P M. A full attendance is requested.

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CITY.

FINE WOOLS.—Yesterday we called at the St. Charles Hotel to inspect the various samples of fine graded wools which have been collected and arranged in proper condition for shipment to Philadelphia to be placed on exhibition at the coming Centennial. These wools are carefully arranged according to the quality of the grades in frames, each sample being held to its place by pieces of ribbons. There are eight frames containing as many samples. Mr. M Wilkins, of Linn county enjoys the credit of having grown six of the samples on exhibition. One frame contains a specimen of the finest grade of a Cotswold fleece, another a sample of Leicester wool while four frames contain an equal number of grades of improved Oxford wool. These wools are of extraordinary fineness, and the exhibition of the same cannot fail to impress the world most favorably with the superior grades of that article grown in Oregon. Mr. Wilkins also has a sample of fine wool cut from the fleece of an improved Oxford lamb only six months old, which for beauty and delicateness of fibre can hardly be distinguished from silk. Mr. Thos. L. Davidson, who resides near Salem has two frames containing extraordinary fine samples of wool taken from the fleece of a Merino sheep. All these specimens have been selected with extreme care, and prepared with the utmost taste. Such an array of wools cannot fail to attract general attention and elicit flattering comment. The samples will be placed in a compact box and shipped East along with the cereals and other articles to be placed on exhibition. Every precaution will be observed to have the specimens reach their destination in the best possible order. Messrs Wilkins and Davidson deserve much credit for their efforts to place before the world in the most advantageous light, one of the greatest industries—wool growing—of this State.

A LIQUOR CRAZY INDIVIDUAL.—Last evening, a well known character in Portland, named Mansfield, was arrested and taken to jail. Mansfield was crazy as the traditional "March Hare," from the effects of strong drink, and when found by the officer was exercising his lungs, and cudgeling the air in a lively style. After being confined in a dark cell he continued to rave incoherently for several hours, until exhaustion, and the weakening effects of the benzine caused him to suspend further elocutionary efforts. Last year Mansfield was adjudged insane and committed to the asylum; but after remaining in the institution several months, was discharged as he had apparently recovered. He seems to be reasonably rational when sober. When under the influence of liquor he becomes a raving lunatic, and at times is so violent as to be regarded dangerous to the public safety. He fought like a tiger last evening when Officer Kelly arrested him, and it was with great difficulty that the demented creature could be taken to the jail without resorting to extreme violent measures. This man Mansfield is well known here, as is also his insane craving for intoxicating stimulants. We believe there is not a saloon keeper in the city but who knows Mansfield, and if any one either gives or sells him that which renders him an infuriated madman, dangerous to the safety of the community, such person, we care not who he may be, should be punished to the full extent of the law.

DEATH OF HON. J. C. HILEMAN.—Hon John C. Hileman, register of the United States land office at Vancouver, W T, died at his residence in that place Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock of that fell destroyer—quick consumption. In speaking of Mr Hileman's death, the Advocate says "For a number of years past Mr. Hileman has been a resident of this city and Vancouver, and by his honorable and upright course of life, faithful attention to business, and unusual kindness and urbanity made a large circle of admiring friends, who will greatly mourn his departure thus in the very midst of his years. Only a short time since he was re-appointed to the office of register, which he has so acceptably filled for a number of years past. About nine months since he united with the M E Church at Vancouver. His last hours were peaceful and triumphant, letting all hold of earth, and willingly passing through the gate of death to reach the more blissful regions beyond. He leaves a wife, the daughter of Rev John Dillon of the Ohio conference, two children and many friends to mourn his loss." The funeral will take place Saturday (to-morrow) at 2 o'clock P. M.

QUARTERLY CITY LICENSES.—Chief Lappeus has been engaged for the past two weeks in collecting the city licenses now due and payable for the quarter ending March 31st of the present year. He has about completed his work and gives us the following as the results of his labor. He has collected quarterly license from 71 saloons, $50 each—total, 3,550; 17 billiard tables, $5 each—total, $85, 12 hotel runners, $15 each—total, $180; 15 hacks, $8 each—total, 120; 37 drays, $5 each—total, $185; 24 trucks, $8 each—total, $192, 118 delivery wagons, $3 each—total, $354; 30 express wagons, $5 each—total, $150, 17 two-horse delivery wagons, $5 each—total, $85, 9 two-horse lumber wagons, $8 each—total $72, 6 wharfingers, $10 each—total, $60, 1 person paid $5 license for the privilege of storing petroleum; 2 pawnbrokers, $25 each—total, $50; 4 retailers of gunpowder, $5 each—total, $20, 2 auctioneers, $40 each—total $80. Total collected thus far for city licenses $5,228.

JURY LIST.—The names of the following gentlemen were drawn yesterday by the county clerk to serve as jurors at the February term of the State circuit court. J F Jones merchant, John Proudfit, clerk, Henry Rothfos, hotel keeper H C Shattuck, farmer; Geo. A Steel, merchant, Wm Condon capitalist; M Rosenblatt merchant H I Day, machinist, Wm New farmer, A A Cohn, merchant. John Clark saddler, David Powell, farmer, H. L Pittock, publisher, W C. Noon, manufacturer, H. W Monnastes, merchant; J. H Gove contractor, A Nicolai, manufacturer, W S Keyes, farmer, Henry Lane, farmer, C W Knowles, hotel keeper, Isaac Harnes, farmer, John Sedlack, dairyman; T. Culbertson, farmer, E Himmens, farmer; Peter Pervis, farmer, Wm Switzler farmer; F. Limmeroth, gardner C S Silver, merchant; Henry Miller, florist; W B Fain, speculator.

PARTY COMING DOWN.—We learn by the O S N Co's line, that a party of five men left the Dalles Tuesday, determined to reach Portland, if possible, overland. The party consists of Col H C Paige Samuel Oppenheimer, R. A. Habersham, and two other persons whose names we were not able to learn. They have one mule between the five, so the operator states, from which fact we should infer that the party must accomplish the trip principally on foot. They passed Hood river quite early yesterday morning and were beating a slow and somewhat painful march toward Portland. If favored with average luck the party may be expected to reach here sometime to-morrow.

ARRIVED AT LAST.—After being overdue a number of weeks, the ship *Prince Umberto* arrived at Astoria on Wednesday evening. It will be remembered that the *Prince Umberto* was reported to have been seen in a disabled condition about Christmas by those on board the *Dauntless*. As the *Prince Umberto* did not reach Astoria until late we are unable to learn from the officers of the *Emma Hayward* what was the occasion of the ship's detention or the character and extent of the damage sustained. She will probably be up in a few days. The ship *Valparaiso* and schooner *Oregonian* also arrived at Astoria Wednesday evening.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS G. A. R.—The officers of Baker and Canby Post G. A. R. were installed last evening by J A Wood Ward, assistant instructor general of the staff of the commander in chief of the G. A. R. as follows: B S Newbury post commander; G W Johnson, senior vice commander; F R. Neale, junior vice commander; M. Hosford, chaplain; G C Sears officer of the day; H. P Hitchcock quartermaster; C J Dubois, surgeon; John Crowel officer of guard; Frank Story quartermaster sergeant.

LADIES SOCIABLE.—Wednesday evening, the ladies sociable of the East Portland M E Church was held at the residence of Mrs I [illegible]. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed. The new bell fund is constantly increasing. The ladies propose to give an oyster supper on Wednesday evening February 9 at the Odd Fellows' Hall East Portland, with a view of completing this bell fund at once.

A LARGE CARGO.—The ship *Bowden*, which cleared for Liverpool yesterday, carried the largest cargo of wheat ever shipped from Oregon and considering the size of the vessel she had very good dispatch. She arrived in the river about the 4th inst, and came up to Pacific wharf, where she was discharged and where she took on over 1,700 tons of her cargo. She went down the river without difficulty, drawing 17½ feet and finished loading at Astoria several days ago. Her cargo in weight exceeds that of the *Baron Aberdare* by about 350 tons though that of the latter, being part flour was more valuable by about $7,000. In round numbers the *Bowden* carried [illegible]0,000 bushels and Messrs Corbitt & Macleay who loaded and dispatched her, can pride themselves on the fact that no other vessel has ever carried a larger cargo from our State—none so large ever had better dispatch. We wish the *Bowden* as successful a voyage all round as she has had so far.

WILL CELEBRATE.—We understand that the members of the Emmet Guard have commenced preparations for celebrating in a proper and fitting manner the coming one hundredth anniversary of our nation's independence. The members of that old time honored organization propose to appear in new and handsome uniforms on that auspicious occasion.

WEATHER REPORT.—From the records of the U S Signal Station of Observation Portland Oregon January 27, 1876.

	7 A M.	2 P M	9 P M
Thermometer	32°	37°	35°
Wind direction	N W	S W	S W
Wind, velocity	2	3	2
Weather	Fair	Fair	Cloudy

ACKNOWLEDGED.—Miss Mary Howe, the young lady who worked so energetically in behalf of ex-Chief Engineer Hallock for the trumpet at the charity fair desires to return thanks to the gentlemen who presented her with a testimonial in the shape of a locket and gold chain.

COSTUMES.—Some twenty-five new costumes for the masquerade will be received by the Turn Verein per *Oriflamme*. These costumes will be let to parties and the time and place to procure them will be announced in season.

U S SOCIETY.—There will be a special meeting of the ladies of the Unitarian Sewing Society, at the residence of Mrs J T Atwood, on Friday, at 2 o'clock P M. A full attendance is particularly requested.

EXTRA PRAYER MEETING.—The interest at the meeting at the Congregational Church last evening was so great that it was deemed advisable to hold an extra prayer meeting this evening at the usual hour.

FOR THE DALLES.—A train of saddle horses for passengers will leave the St Charles hotel on Saturday for the Dalles. Particulars can be obtained through Mr. Coggan, at the St Charles.

BRIEF NOTES.

Another dash of snow last night.

The steamer *Ajax* went to sea Wednesday afternoon.

Twenty persons are now confined in the county jail.

The steamer *Annie Stewart* started down the river with the ship *Doventry*.

Skating for the championship of the State Saturday night at Wood's museum.

Mr A J Dufur, the Centennial commissioner, is now ice-bound at the Dalles.

Cold weather has occasioned a temporary suspension of laying the Pine street sewer.

Mercury continues to crawl up the glass tube, and the snow promises to take French leave.

The police are making it exceedingly interesting for the vagrants who are now infesting the city.

The *Gatherer*, *Bowdon*, and *Rival* have all passed out to sea bound for their several destinations.

Owing to the ice, the *Emma Hayward* was unable to land at three points down the river yesterday.

The steamer *Beaver* was met yesterday by the Astoria boat some distance below St. Helens having in tow the ship *Abercarne*.

One case disposed of in the police court yesterday morning. He was declared to be a "vag," and his sentence was ten days.

A drove of 60 head of beef cattle are now en route for this city by way of the Columbia trail, and are expected to reach here to day.

James Turk proprietor of the "Sailors' Home," was arrested last evening on a charge of assault and battery. The case will be tried in police court this morning.

During the present pastorate of Rev R Bentley in the Taylor Street M E Church of this city one hundred and eleven persons have united with the church on probation.

There is some talk of districting the city and making rules allowing only two engines to go to a common fire alarm, the others remaining in readiness to run in case the Chief sounds a general alarm.

The steamer *Idaho*, which sailed from here last evening, carried away a full freight one cabin passenger,—Mr Geo Wright—and five or six in the steerage. Owing to some delay the steamer did not leave before 9 o'clock.

MASONIC DEDICATION.

The M. W grand lodge of A F & A M of the State of Oregon held a communication at Gervais Marion county on the 26th inst for the purpose of dedicating the hall of Fidelity lodge No 54 and installing their officers elect. There were present, J B Congle, M W G M; S F Chadwick P G M, acting R W D G M; Geo A Eades acting R W S G W; J. W Grim, acting R W J G W; H A Johnson, acting R W G Treasurer; H. H Gilfrey, acting R. W G Secretary; J Voorhees, acting G. Chaplain; R A Pratt acting G S D; E [illegible] Sloat, acting G J D; I J Babcock acting G Marshal; A W McCorkle acting G Tyler.

The ceremonies of dedication and installation were performed in public by M W G Master J B Congle, after which P G Master S F Chadwick delivered an interesting and eloquent address on masonry. After which the members of the fraternity, together with their families and invited guests, partook of a splendid repast furnished by the ladies interspersed with music for which the sincere thanks of the lodge were tendered. It was a most pleasant and agreeable occasion, and we hope that many more such meetings may occur.

The officers installed were S Hackleroad, W M, W A Cusick, S W J Calvert, J W M Kumminsky treasurer J Voorhees secretary, W L Jones S D, H K Hunsaker J D N Goodman tyler.

OREGON STATE TEMPERANCE ALLIANCE.

The annual meeting of the State Temperance Alliance will be held in the city of Portland on Wednesday Feb 16 1876 commencing at 10 o'clock A M at Good Templars Hall corner Alder and Third streets. All temperance societies churches Sunday schools and all organized bodies which are known to be in active working sympathy with the temperance reform are requested to send delegates. The basis of representation is One delegate for the organization, and one for every twenty members, and one for every fraction over ten.

Arrangements have been made with the various transportation companies for the usual reduction of fare to delegates who attend.

W R DUNBAR President

January 27 1876

MILITARY NOTES.

Col Alfred Sully 21st infantry is appointed to act as inspector on certain quartermaster stores at Vancouver depot W T [illegible] Capt George H Weeks assistant quartermaster depot quartermaster is accountable reported the 22d inst as requiring the action of an inspector.

In order to make a fine display at [illegible] consult your tailor at an early moment. It would be advisable to call upon those well known clothiers [illegible] & Roberts and see what they [illegible].

Besides an excellent plate [illegible] call and you can get an A1 lunch at [illegible] & Harnes.

He is sensible who buys his wife a sewing machine that is the easiest managed and lasts the longest. Such is the one which buys the Wheeler & Wilson No 8. No shuttle and no noise.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Our "regular" sends the following under date of the 27th.

A child of Jos Albretch was buried this morning.

Wm S. Kinney is lying at the residence of his mother, in this city, dangerously ill.

Another snow storm here this morning, the ground being covered to the depth of about three inches.

Mrs J L Parrish is suffering from a severe attack of sickness, having been confined to her bed for some time past.

A man named Henry was arrested yesterday charged with "rolling" an individual to the tune of about $40. His case will come up before Recorder Hyde to-day.

The school census just completed shows an increase over that of the preceding year as follows. That of 1875 returned, boys 624, girls, 633 while this year the returns are boys, 710, girls 711.

Salemites will we trust, recollect the firemen's sociable at Reed's Opera House Friday evening, and give the "fire laddies" the support they so justly deserve. The programme promises to be an interesting one.

Last evening being the ninth anniversary of the marriage of Mr and Mrs E M Waite, their intimate friends to the number of twenty five or thirty assembled at their house to celebrate the event. A programme arranged especially for the occasion was carried out to the edification of every one present. The old folks became young for the time being and enjoyment reigned supreme. It was late before the merry throng separated, and it was with the oft expressed wish that the worthy couple might live to enjoy very many returns of the day.

WEATHER UP THE COLUMBIA.

Telegrams from up the Columbia yesterday indicate that the weather was as follows at the several points named last evening at 6 30 o'clock.

Umatilla—Clear; thermometer 19° wind from the south.
Walla Walla—Thermometer 20° clear.
Dalles—Clear thermometer 29°.
Wallula—Clear, wind from the north, River full of running ice. thermometer 14°.
Cascades—Clear and cool, wind up-stream, thermometer 32°.
Hood River—Clear, thermometer 32° ice most gone out of the river.

Ladies and their escorts are admitted to the Museum Rink on Wednesday evenings—all others barred that night.

WANTED $5,000 CURRENCY.—At Monnastes for Crockery and Glassware. Will take currency at par for cash sales. By taking advantage of this you will have ten to fifteen per cent on all purchases at Monnastes', 129 First street between Morrison and Yamhill. Don't forget the place.

The boys and girls all agree that the Museum is better than a circus.

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Mr. Wightman has received these testimonials.

St Charles Hotel, Portland, Jan 17 1876.—Statement. I have tried the "Wightman Process" for the relief and cure of Hemorrhoid or Piles, and found it just the thing needed. I am now relieved of all pain and unpleasant feeling. I advise others afflicted to try the "Process" and find relief and cure. (It was the 4th of January, 1876, when I first tried it. Thirteen days since.) A JENNINGS,
Engineer on Albany Express O. & C R R.
Residence—East Portland.

St Charles Hotel, Portland, Jan 17, 1876.—A lady member of my family had been suffering for a long time with distress of the rectum. We thought there was no cure for it, and after much doctoring we tried the Wightman Process and it was at once relieved, and in four days it was relieved entirely, and considered further treatment unnecessary.

C H PERKINS,
Proprietor St. Charles Hotel
Witness: CLARK HAY
Father of the person referred to.

Mr Wightman will be at the Chemeketa Hotel Salem, on the 27th inst, for a few days.

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K of P.—Excelsior Lodge No 1, meets every Wednesday evening at 7½ o'clock in Castle Hall corner First and Taylor streets. Members of Sister Lodges and sojourning brethren are cordially invited to attend. THEO BARKER C C
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SAN FRANCISCO LETTER

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 18, 1876

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

"If I was only out of this infernal country and in San Francisco where the sun shines occasionally," and similar expressions are familiar to every Oregonian. I have talked that way to myself a great many times, sighing for the "Italian skies" and glorious winter weather of San Francisco. Hearing so many persons extol the climate I expected something a little short of paradise, I find it considerably short, in fact, if I did not know positively from the amount of my monthly rent and the high price I pay for my meat, fuel and some other things, that I am actually in San Francisco, I could easily imagine myself in Portland. The rain has come down as easily for several weeks past, as it ever did in Oregon. The streets have been flooded with water, the sewage system of the city being more defective than that of Portland.

The street cars during the wet weather are crowded to excess, and so great has the evil become from lack of accommodation on nearly all the lines of street railroads that a bill has been prepared and will probably pass the present legislature allowing the street car companies to collect fare only from passengers who are furnished with seats. The poor, overburdened horses will not vote nay on that bill.

The legislature is grinding at another bill that is demanded by a worse evil than the discomfort of street car passengers or the over loading of horses. I refer to the proposed amendment to the divorce law. The recent divorce of the noted capitalist Alvinza Hayward from his wife after a married life of thirty years, called out some statistics on the divorce question, which proved that Indiana has lost her prestige as the champion divorce State. The ratio of divorces to marriages in this city for the past year is as 1 to 3½, and it is not generally known outside how easily it is to have the marriage tie undone here when it is. I presume immigration to this country will be largely increased though one firm in the city advertises that, to obtain divorces, "Residence is not necessary." If the proposed amendment is adopted divorces will be rare, as it allows of but one cause—adultery.

The committee appointed by the legislature to investigate the matter of unseaworthy steamers sailing from this port have been in session in this city for several days past. The evidence of some of the experts who testified in relation to some of the steamers in the Northern trade is not calculated to increase their passenger list. Several witnesses testified that Waterman, the inspector of hulls, didn't know his business, and one of them said that the way he inspected steamers was to walk about and say, "Everything is right," and sign the certificate.

Oregonians will no doubt be rejoiced to learn that the O S S Co are building a steamer expressly for the Oregon trade. I learn that she will be out about the first of September.

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Manager Maguire has had several suits for damages brought against him in the last few days by colored men who were refused admission to the dress circle of the theater after having purchased tickets. Maguire will probably get worsted.

The stock market has been quite strong lately, and holders of Comstock stocks have realized handsome profits and there is but little doubt that there will be a large advance in leading stocks in the next few weeks. The annual report of the Consolidated Virginia mine has just been made. The amount of ore produced during the last year is $17,600,000, out of which there were dividends paid to the amount of $12,204,000. The mine now hoists about 600 tons of ore daily. It is anticipated that the dividends this year will exceed those of last. It is understood that this stock and California will be cut up, giving five shares for one.

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ja7 1d&wtf Portland Oregon

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B HANSON President
J S N[illegible] Secretary and Superintendent

EAST PORTLAND Dec [illegible] 1875.
Mr Plummer—Dear Sir: I have been watching [illegible] Alden and your Fruit Dryer [illegible]
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PORTLAND Jan 10 1876.
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L. BROOKE, Assignee.
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The monetary situation is still reported quiet, and but few transactions of magnitude are reported in local circles. Whatever tendency is observed is in the direction of rather more ease in finances and some business men even go so far as to say that at no time during the past three years has money been so easily obtained on moderate terms upon the presentation of approved collaterals. There are more reasons assignable for this than one. The call for engaging in new enterprises of a local character is limited. The crop movement is slower than usual, the annual dividends disbursed by the various corporations on the coast about the incoming of the new year have all combined to render money more plentiful in a few hands and soften the rates for loans and discounts. But what is needed to give the country prosperity is a market for capital, or something that will create a demand for money which promises a living return for investment. There is now no urgent demand on the market for funds and the banks accommodate their regular customers with a great deal of promptness, while outside parties are offering some very considerable sums.

Capitalists generally throughout the country are not disposed to invest large sums in the way of loans until it can be seen what action Congress is going to take on the currency question, there being somehow an impression on the minds of many that possibly quite a revolution may be the result of some measure which may be yet proposed and adopted in that body. So far, however, Congress appears to be so wholly absorbed with other matters that but little attention has been given to financial questions, and it may be that the discussion of these other questions less vital to the country's interests, will engage our law makers continually to the close of the session, and that happily they may thus let the financial system of the Government alone, which many sound minds claim would be the best thing that could happen, save perhaps some auxiliary legislation to carry out the specie resumption act of last winter.

General Merchandise.

It is almost too early in the season to speculate upon the trade for the coming spring and summer, but it is evident from the preparations which merchants are making that they at least expect a full average volume of business, and are determined to be ready to meet it fully, and with stocks more carefully selected with reference to the wants of the community than ever before, though last season there was a decided improvement over former years in this respect. Most importers have already made their selections for the spring trade, and from now until May the receipts will mount up to a large figure. At present the market, locally, is quiet and prices for most all staple goods low with almost no tendency to fluctuation, the only change noticed for a fortnight being an advance of half cent per pound on some grades of sugar, induced, perhaps, by a temporary scarcity of a particular quality.

Do[illegible] Produce.

Although quite a number of vessels have just completed or are now loading with breadstuffs transactions are by no means frequent nor can the word active be properly applied to any branch of the market. Wheat buyers or exporters had a very large surplus on their hands awaiting the vessels now in port and hence were compelled to buy but little to finish their contracts. This surplus is of course much less now than it was the first of the month, several large vessels having since been dispatched. There is however said to be a great deal of wheat in the interior of this State, estimated at 50,000 tons at least, and California has a third more than Oregon, or 75,000, yet actually held for export and that in the face of the "bluest" market in Europe that has been known for a long time if reports bear the truth. Our quotations to-day are $1 65@1 67½ per cental, and five cents more is said to have been paid very lately but some hitherto pretty large buyers give $1 65 as the outside. Those who pay more under the present Liverpool wheat quotations and freight rates, are most likely speculating on a probable rise and should it not come in time some heavy losses are feared. We still hope for an advance before harvest, though we must confess that as time elapses this hope does not grow. Flour is in fair request for the local trade and shipments are kept up to the average. But few heavy transactions have been made during the week, the principal one reported being 11,000 barrels Imperial at current rates to make up the cargo of the Ophelia for Europe.

Oats are still scarce and the demand good—choice lots selling as high as 70 cents per bushel. Barley quotations are nominal. Hay and mill feed quite firm at our figures. Potatoes and other vegetables unchanged except onions which are a little dearer. Provisions quiet and the supply liberal. Eggs have advanced for the local trade but San Francisco quotations do not justify shipments at over 25 cts per dozen. Other products are in moderate supply at quotations.

Liverpool Wheat Market.

The following is our special cablegram of wheat quotations, direct from Liverpool to day:

LIVERPOOL, Jan 27 1876.

OREGONIAN Portland: To day's Liverpool wheat market closed as follows: Oregon wheat ex warehouse from 10s 9d to 11s per cental. California club ex warehouse from 10s 10d to 11s 2d per cental. Oregon cargoes afloat on passage to the United Kingdom 10s 8d to 10s 10d per cental. The market is declining.

HENRY JUMP & SONS

Under these figures for Oregon and California club the quotations for average California wheat would be [illegible] 10s 5d or an average of 3d a 6d lower than Oregon cargoes.

Shipping Intelligence.

The steamship Oriflamme will be due from San Francisco tomorrow night.

The British ship Hannibal, 1,25[illegible] tons has been chartered to load wheat at this port for Cork on terms withheld.

The steamship Idaho with a few passengers and a fair freight list sailed for San Francisco at four o'clock this afternoon.

The [illegible] under charter to Messrs Corbitt & Macleay has her ballast out, and will load with wheat, having immediate dispatch.

The Salem Flouring Mills Co. is loading the Can[illegible] for Coventry and will clear for [illegible] at an early day.

The ships Bowden, Abercarne, Dauntless and Carisbrooke Castle have all cleared with wheat cargoes.

The [illegible] under charter to Rodgers, Meyer & Co. is [illegible] a cargo of flour for the English market.

The British ship City of Tanjore has a part of her cargo [illegible] and will finish the coming week.

BY TELEGRAPH

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan 27.—Arrived—Bark Oakland [illegible] Melson, barkentine Modoc [illegible], bark [illegible] Seattle, steamer Empire [illegible] bark [illegible] Departure Bay, bark Rival [illegible] [illegible] barkentine Brigetta, Han[illegible].

Sailed—British ship Hannibal, Portland; ship Lookout, Nanaimo.

San Francisco Markets.

(BY TELEGRAPH.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan 27.—Flour—Extra jobbing at $5 [illegible]

Wheat—$1 [illegible]

Barley—Coast feed $1 [illegible]; brewing, $1 30a[illegible]

Oats—[illegible] will cover feed descriptions.

Hay—$ [illegible]

Potatoes—Humboldt $1 [illegible]; Petaluma, $1 [illegible]

Dairy Products—Fresh laid eggs [illegible]

Liverpool [illegible] markets to-day [illegible] 10s[illegible] for average California 10s 6d [illegible]

Home Produce Market.

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BARLEY—Choice brewing $1 [illegible]@1 40, feed $1 25@1 30 ℔ cwt.

MILL FEED—Bran $[illegible] ℔ ton, shorts $20, chopped middlings [illegible] $[illegible], oil cake meal $40.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter solid 16@25c ℔ ℔, brine 20a25c, roll [illegible], fancy dairy, 30@35c, cheese quotable at 17@18 ℔ ℔

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POTATOES—Common [illegible] ℔ bushel

ONIONS—As to quality [illegible] ℔ 100 lbs

HAY—Choice timothy baled $21 a$18 loose $1[illegible]

DRIED APPLES—In sacks [illegible] in kegs [illegible]

DRIED PLUMS—With pits [illegible] pitless [illegible]

RIPE FRUITS—Apples [illegible] ℔ box, pears [illegible]

BACON—Hams choice [illegible], common to good [illegible] ℔ ℔, sides [illegible]c, shoulders [illegible]

FRESH MEATS—Beef dressed [illegible] ℔ ℔ on foot, 2½@3c, dressed hogs [illegible] ℔ ℔, mutton sheep, $2 [illegible]3 ℔ head

LARD—Oregon made fresh in tins 11 a11c ℔ ℔, in kegs 13c

EXPORTS.

Per steamship Idaho dispatched by the O. S. S. Co. for San Francisco January 7th—[illegible]200 sks flour [illegible] sks oats 501 boxes apples [illegible] bls [illegible] half bbls salmon [illegible] green hides 3 bls skins 14 tons pig iron 812 bdls hoops, 735 pkgs barrel stock and 75 M laths.

Per British ship Bowden to Liverpool direct dispatched January 26th by Corbitt & Macleay—[illegible] bushels wheat, valued at $100,676.

Per British bark Abercarne to the United Kingdom dispatched by Henry Hewett & Co January 25th—30,842 bushels wheat valued at $41 900

Per American ship Dauntless to the United Kingdom dispatched January 26th by Henry Hewett & Co—[illegible] bushels wheat valued at $[illegible]

Per British ship Carisbrooke Castle to the United Kingdom dispatched by Allen & Lewis January 25th—63,666 bushels wheat valued at $74 150

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For 1876.

IN PRESS AND WILL BE PUBLISHED ON OR about February 1 1876 the PORTLAND CITY DIRECTORY for 1876 embracing a General Directory of Residents a Directory of East Portland together with a Business Directory and other Statistics relative to the Progress and Present Condition of the City.

This being the FOURTEENTH ANNUAL ISSUE of the above work the publisher will spare no expense to render it FULLY RELIABLE and ACCURATE his sole aim being to make the DIRECTORY useful to every citizen in Portland as a faithful annual Index of the commercial condition of the city.

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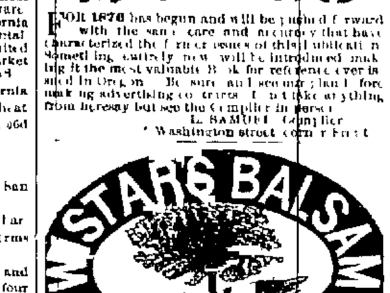

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J BROOKE, Assignee
[illegible]

Portland Jan 19 1876

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Ordinance No. 1717.

AN ORDINANCE FOR THE PROTECTION OF Public Sewers and to provide for the manner of making connections therewith.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to make connections with or in any manner obstruct or interfere with any public sewer or drain pipe except as hereinafter provided.

Section 2. Any person or persons desiring to make connection with any public sewer or drain pipe shall make written application for a permit therefor specifying therein the location area to be drained and whether for house drainage or otherwise.

Section 3. The officers constituting the street department are hereby authorized to grant permits for such connections subject to such restrictions as to size of pipes, traps and the manner of doing the work as they may deem necessary and proper, provided that no connection shall be made (except within the line of the lot or block) with other than Terra Cotta pipe or some other material not subject to injury from the use of acids or other deleterious substances. And further provided that the parties making such connections shall cause that portion of the street disturbed to be placed in good condition.

Section 4. Security by deposit or otherwise may be required of such applicant against loss or damage resulting from carelessness, improper work or material or failure to comply with the terms of the permit.

Section 5. A violation of any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed a misdemeanor, and upon conviction before the Police Judge the offender or offenders shall be punished by a fine of not less than five nor more than one hundred dollars or by imprisonment in the city jail not less than three nor more than twenty days.

Passed the Common Council January 19 1876

W S CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk

Approved January 20 1876

J A CHAPMAN
Mayor

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Ordinance No. 1718

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE No 117 entitled an Ordinance to provide for the prevention of fires.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. That section 10 of Ordinance No 117 entitled an Ordinance to provide for the prevention of fires, be so amended as to read as follows:

Section 10. That any person or persons who shall wilfully and maliciously make a false alarm of fire shall upon conviction before the Police Judge be fined not less than twenty (20) nor more than fifty [illegible] dollars or be confined in the city jail not more than [illegible] days for each and every offense as the Police Judge may determine. Provided That one half of any fine collected [illegible] shall be paid by the Police Judge to the person making the complaint.

Section [illegible]. Ordinance No 1030 entitled an Ordinance [illegible] Ordinance No 71 entitled an Ordinance for the prevention of fires, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Passed the Common Council January 19 1876

W S CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk

Approved January 20 1876

J A CHAPMAN
Mayor

? [illegible]

Ordinance No 1720

AN ORDINANCE MAKING AN APPROPRIATION out of the [illegible] Fund for pay of the [illegible] for [illegible]

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The sum of six thousand eight hundred and ten dollars is hereby appropriated out of the [illegible] fund of the [illegible] of the police [illegible] in the manner provided by Ordinance No 1101, provided that the aggregate payments shall not exceed six hundred [illegible] dollars for services during any one month.

[illegible] Common Council [illegible] 1876

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved January [illegible] 1876

J A CHAPMAN
Mayor

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Slate Creek
Waldo
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Lane
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Coast Fork
Camp Creek,
Cartwrights,
Cheshire
Crow
Dexter
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Goshen
Junction
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Mohawk
Pleasant Hill
Siuslaw
Spencer Creek
Springfield
Trent
Willamette Forks

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Goose Lake,
Linkville,
Langell Valley,
Lost River,
Morganville
Silver Lake
Sprague River
Summer
Tule Lake
White Hall
Yainax,

Linn.
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Crawfordsville,
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Fox Valley
Grass Ridge,
Waterloo
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Jordan
Lebanon
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Peoria
Pine,
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Sodaville
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Aumsville
Butteville,
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Marion
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Spokane Falls,
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LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	7 30 A M	Roseburg	7 10 P
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The Oregon and California Railroad Ferry makes connection with all Regular Trains.

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Storage will be charged on freight remaining in Warehouse over 24 hours.

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Northern Pacific Railroad.

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Calling $1 00 first hour, 50c each additional hour
To boats, 50 cents each passenger
Funerals $2 per Hack
To and from Balls and Parties, $1 50 a couple

Orders left at STABLE or FISHEL & ROBERTS, promptly attended to at any hour.

People without means will be furnished Hacks free to funerals for the next thirty days.

LAND FOR IMMIGRANTS.

Choice Farms for Sale.

4,000 ACRES, IN QUANTITIES TO SUIT PURCHASERS.

230 ACRES DUE SOUTH AND ADJOINING the Railroad Depot at Salem all under cultivation and suitable for grain or vegetables.

916 ACRES four miles southeast of Salem on the railroad, with Mill creek running through it. This is the choicest farming land in Marion county with fine springs consisting in part of the old Keeter donation claim on which I raised the present year fifty bushels of wheat and three tons of timothy per acre. The first crop of oats ever raised on part of this land measured ninety four bushels per acre, grain weighed and ground chaloed by Mr Alfred Stanton of Salem.

2,700 ACRES of prairie and light brush land with timber for farming purposes bounded by the Willamette river for four miles, beautiful lake on the east [illegible] along the river commencing four miles north of Salem—all choice grain land—the largest and most suitable body of land to be found in the Willamette valley to be purchased by a colony. To be sold from $15 to $25 per acre. This land will all be immediately resurveyed and can be sold in larger or smaller parcels to suit purchasers. It can be subdivided to the best possible advantage and I can offer any person or persons or colony of persons desiring to purchase homes in the best part of the Willamette valley near the city of Salem and within reach of the best social advantages as well as most favorably located with respect to markets, greater advantages on more favorable terms than they ever expect to realize again.

THOMAS CROSS

Salem Nov 9 1875 — n1d&wlm

U. S. MARSHAL'S CITATION.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA—DISTRICT of Oregon ss. Whereas a libel hath been filed in the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon on the 17th day of January A D 1876 by James B Leech against the steamboat Calliope [illegible] her tackle, apparel and furniture and praying that the usual process and monition of the court that all persons interested in said vessel, her tackle, apparel and furniture may be cited to answer the premises and all due proceedings being had that the same may be decreed to be sold and the proceeds thereof to be distributed according to law therefore in pursuance of the said monition under the seal of the said court to me directed and delivered I do hereby give notice generally unto all persons having or pretending to have any right title or interest therein to appear for the [illegible] said Court at the city of Portland Oregon on the seventh day of February A D 1876 if it be a court day or else on the next court day thereafter at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day then and there to answer said libel and to make their allegations in that behalf. Dated at Portland in said District the [illegible] day of January A D 1876.

DANIEL J MALARKEY
U S Marshal District of Oregon

[illegible]

Pine Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMmon Council of the City of Portland [illegible] to [illegible] the sewer now [illegible] constructed in the street from [illegible] east side of Fourth street to the west side of Sixth street by laying [illegible] inch Terra Cotta pipe with the necessary catch basins, manholes and connections, and also to improve the [illegible] between [illegible] and Fourth streets [illegible]. The expense of all of which [illegible] to be assessed upon the property benefited.

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

January 2[illegible] 18[illegible]

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF Oregon for Multnomah county. In the matter of the estate of Daniel McGill deceased. Notice of final settlement. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed [illegible] final account as administratrix of the [illegible] and that the court has appointed [illegible] February 3 1876 at the hour of [illegible] M of that day for the settlement of [illegible]

MARY M [illegible]
Administratrix of the estate of Daniel McGill deceased

Portland Oregon Dec 29 1875

Street Improvements

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMmon Council of the City of Portland propose to improve the following named streets by grading laying sidewalks and planking the roadway the full width with box gutters where necessary:

First street from Main to Madison
Second street from A to Taylor
Yamhill street from First to Fourth
Morrison street from Second to Fourth
Stark street from Second to Fourth
Oak street from First to Fourth

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

January 22 1876 — j22d10d

OCEAN STEAMERS.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO, DIRECT.

CARRYING U. S. MAILS.

THE OREGON STEAMSHIP CO'S Steamer

ORIFLAMME.

FRANCIS CONNOR, ... Commander

Will leave Portland Warehouse and Dock Company's Wharf at Foot of F street, for the above port

MONDAY, JANUARY 31, 1876,
At 4 o'clock P M

For Freight or Passage apply at the Office of the Company corner F and Front streets.

GEO W WEIDLER Agent.

For PORT TOWNSEND, VICTORIA, NANAIMO, FORT WRANGLE and SITKA.

CARRYING U. S. MAILS.

THE OREGON STEAMSHIP CO'S Steam Propeller

CALIFORNIA,

JOHN HAYES, ... Commander,

Will leave Portland Warehouse and Dock Company's Wharf, at foot of F street, for the above ports,

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1876,
At 4 o'clock P M,

For Freight or Passage apply at the Office of the Company, corner of F and Front streets

GEO W WEIDLER, Agent.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
VIA TACOMA.

THE FIRST CLASS IRON STEAMSHIP

CITY OF PANAMA.

Passengers leave Portland per Steamer "Emma Hayward" on

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 2, AT 5 A. M.

THROUGH FARE from Portland to San Francisco
Cabin — $20 00 | Steerage — $10 50

Tickets for sale at Office Oregon Steam Navigation Company, corner Front and Ash streets up stairs.

Through Tickets sold to China, Sandwich Islands, Australia, New Zealand, Panama and New York.

RIVER STEAMERS.

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER SEPT 17TH until further notice the Steamer E. N. COOKE will leave her dock foot of F street, every day (Sundays excepted), at 2 30 P M for Oregon City.

Passengers for Dayton and intermediate points will take cars at Portland at 7:30, connecting at Canemah on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week.

Rates of Freight Greatly Reduced.

All freights delivered in Portland free of drayage.

Freight forwarded to Astoria with dispatch.

J. D BILES, Agent.

THE WILLAMETTE

Transportation and Locks Co's

STEAMERS leave PORTLAND from the Central Wharf, between Washington and Alder streets, as follows:

FOR DAYTON—Tuesday Thursday and Saturday, at 7 A M

FOR ALBANY—Monday Tuesday Thursday and Friday, at 6 A M

FOR CORVALLIS and HARRISBURG—Monday and Thursday at 6 A M.

For Lightering and Towing of Vessels

Between Portland and Astoria apply at the office of the Company, near corner of Front and Washington streets.

FRANK T. DODGE, Agent.

Oregon Steam Navigation Co.'s

PASSENGER SCHEDULE.

PASSENGERS LEAVE PORTLAND

FOR DALLES—Daily, (except Sunday) at 5 o'clock A. M.

FOR KALAMA and TACOMA—Daily (Sundays excepted) at 6 A M.

FOR VICTORIA—Wednesday and Saturday at 6 A M

FOR SEATTLE—Tuesday Wednesday Thursday and Saturday, at 6 A M

FOR ASTORIA—Daily (except Sunday) at 6 A M

For Cathlamet, Bay View and Skomockaway—Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 6 A.M.

For Westport, Manhattan and Clifton—Tuesday Thursday and Saturday, at 6 A M

For KNAPPA—Thursday at 6 A. M.

J C AINSWORTH President.

"Ohio" and "City of Salem,"

OF THE INDEPENDENT LINE Boat will leave Pacific Wharf on

MONDAY & THURSDAY of EACH WEEK

At 5 A M for

HARRISBURG & INTERMEDIATE POINTS

Freight received at the above Dock during all business hours.

Portland & Vancouver Packet.

THE STEAMER VANCOUVER,

JAS T. GRAY, Master,

WILL LEAVE DAILY FROM FOOT OF Alder Street for Vancouver at 2.30 P M
Returning, leave Vancouver at 8 A M
For freight or passage apply on board
Towing done between 10 30 A M and 2 P M, daily except Sundays

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF Oregon for Multnomah county. W S Ladd, C. E. Tilton and S. Mead partners under the firm name of Ladd & Tilton, plaintiffs vs Peter John and Catherine John, his wife defendants. To Peter John and Catherine John his wife, the above named defendants: In the name of the State of Oregon you and each of you are hereby notified to appear and answer the complaint of the above named plaintiffs against you which has been filed in the above entitled court and cause within ten days after service hereof on you if served in this county and if served on you in any other county in this State then within twenty days after such service and on or before the first day of the next regular term of said court which day is the 14th day of February A D 1876 and if you so fail to appear and answer the plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint. You are further notified that the object of this suit is to foreclose a certain mortgage executed by you to secure the payment of $1,000 in currency and interest thereon at one per cent per month from [illegible] after the 20th day of April A D 18[illegible] [illegible] certain promissory note executed by you and which mortgage is on Block No 13 in the city of East Portland Multnomah county Oregon [illegible] to sell [illegible] according to law for [illegible] for [illegible] deficiency after application [illegible] of sale [illegible] for seventy five dollars attorney's fees and for costs and disbursements of suit. This summons is published by an order of the Hon E D Shattuck Judge of said court made at chambers on the 28th December 1875 directing publication thereof in the DAILY OREGONIAN newspaper [illegible] each week for six successive weeks. Dated at Portland Oregon this 28th day of December 1875.

WHALLEY & FECHHEIMER
Attorneys for Plaintiffs

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B Street

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMmon Council of the City of Portland propose to improve [illegible] part of B street lying between N[illegible] and Fifteenth streets by grading laying sidewalks and planking roadway sixteen feet in width.

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

January 2[illegible] 1876 — j2[illegible]

NOTICE—DISSOLUTION.

THE COPARTNERSHIP BETWEEN GROW & Wilcox, Painters is hereby dissolved. J P Wilcox retiring from the firm. John Grow will continue the business of House and Sign Painting etc at the old place, 145 Second street near Taylor.

JOHN GROW
J P WILCOX

Jan 1 1876 — ja10d1m

SAN FRANCISCO.

N. W. SPAULDING'S
Saw-Toothing & Repairing
ESTABLISHMENT,

17 and 19 Fremont st., between Front and Battery.

SAN FRANCISCO.

N. W. SPAULDING'S PATENT [illegible] inserted in circular saws. REPAIRING, in all its branches, [illegible] ming, Re-Toothing, Straightening, etc. CIRCULAR SAWS of all sizes; also [illegible] Mulay, Gang, Buck, Butcher, and [illegible] kinds together with a good [illegible] hours at lowest market rates. Cast-Steel faced PLANER KNIVES, [illegible] ING CUTTERS always on hand, or [illegible] short notice.

N. B.—KNAPP, BURRELL [illegible] mission Merchants, Portland, O[illegible] authorized Agents for Oregon, W[illegible] Orders sent through them by [illegible] wise filled at same rates as if [illegible]

AGAIN VICTOR[illegible]

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First [illegible]
and [illegible]

For Best Billiards & C[illegible]

AWARDED TO

P. LIESEN[illegible]

511 MARKET STREET, [illegible]

Also the Highest Medal at the In[illegible] bition of Sydney, Australia.

N B—I beg to call the attention of [illegible] my highly improved Bevel [illegible] California Little Pool Tables, C[illegible] Monitors, Pigeon Holes, and other [illegible]

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Asthma, Bronchitis, and [illegible] Troubles

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Consumption, Pl[illegible] Affections

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T. A. DAVIS & CO., Wh[illegible] Oregon

YOUNG [illegible]

Who may be suffering from the [illegible] ful follies or indiscretion, will [illegible] themselves of this, the greatest [illegible] at the altar of suffering humanity [illegible] NEY will guarantee to for[illegible] case of seminal weakness or [illegible] any kind or character which [illegible] and fails to cure. He would [illegible] the unfortunate sufferer who may [illegible] tice that you are treading upon [illegible] ground when you longer delay in [illegible] proper remedy for your complaint [illegible] be in the first stage remember [illegible] proaching the last. If you are bor[illegible] the last, and are suffering some of [illegible] fects, remember that if you p[illegible] nation the time must come when [illegible] skillful physician can render you [illegible] when the door of hope will be [illegible] you when no angel of mercy can [illegible] lief. In no case has the Doctor [illegible] cess. Then let not despair work [illegible] imagination but avail yourself of the [illegible] results of his treatment before your [illegible] yond the reach of medical skill or [illegible] death hurries you to a premature [illegible] course of treatment $25 00. Send [illegible] Post Office order or Express with [illegible] tion of the case. Call, or address

DR. A. H. SPE[illegible]
No 11 Kearny Street, San F[illegible]

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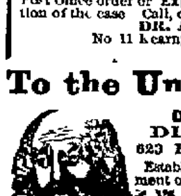

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Seminal Emissions, the conse[illegible] This solitary vice, or depraved [illegible] practiced by the youth of both sexes [illegible] unlimited extent, producing with u[illegible] ty, the following train of morbid sy[illegible] combated by scientific medical m[illegible] low countenance dark spots under the [illegible] the head, ringing in the ears, noise like [illegible] of leaves and rattling of chariots, [illegible] the loins, weakness of the limbs, [illegible] blunted intellect, loss of confidence, [illegible] approaching strangers, a dislike to [illegible] quaintances, disposition to shun [illegible] memory, hectic flushes, pimples and [illegible] tions about the face, furred tongue, [illegible] coughs consumption night sweats, [illegible] frequent insanity.

CURED AT HOME.

Persons at a distance may be CURED A[illegible] by addressing a letter to Dr. Gibbon, [illegible] symptoms length of time the disease [illegible] and have medicines promptly forwarded [illegible] damage and curiosity, to any part of the [illegible] with full and plain directions. By [illegible] Dollars coin in registered letter through [illegible] office or through Wells, Fargo & Co [illegible] medicine will be forwarded to any [illegible] Union. Address

DR J F GI[illegible]
Box 1,957, San F[illegible]

A BOOK FOR THE MILL[illegible]

MARRIAGE GUIDE.

A Private [illegible] Married, or those about to marry, on [illegible] mysteries [illegible] of the reproductive system [illegible] the latest discoveries in the sc[illegible] of the complexion &c. This is an interesting work of [illegible] with numerous engravings, and contains valuable inf[illegible] those who are married or contemplate marriage; [illegible] book that ought to be under lock and key, and not [illegible] about the house. Sent to any one (free of postage) [illegible] Address Dr Butts' Dispensary, No. 12 N. [illegible]

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT—District of Oregon. Notice in Bankruptcy [illegible] the matter of E. Milwain, bankrupt. [illegible] hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court by said E Milwain duly declared [illegible] under the act of Congress of March 2, 18[illegible] for a discharge and certificate thereof from all [illegible] and liabilities and other claims provable [illegible] said act and that the 9th day of February [illegible] assigned for the hearing of the same before E. B. Northup Esq Register in Bankruptcy at [illegible] in Portland in said district when and where [illegible] person may attend and show cause if any they have why the prayer of said petition should [illegible] granted.

R. WILCOX
Clerk of said [illegible]

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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT—District of Oregon. Notice in Bankruptcy [illegible] the matter of Chas H Friendly, bankrupt. [illegible] hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court by said Chas H Friendly, duly declared bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2, 18[illegible] for a discharge and certificate thereof, from all [illegible] and liabilities and other claims provable [illegible] said act and that the 28th day of January [illegible] assigned for the hearing of the same before [illegible] Northup Esq Register in Bankruptcy at [illegible] in Portland in said District, when and where [illegible] person may attend and show cause, if any they have why the prayer of said petition should [illegible] granted.

R. WILCOX
Clerk of said [illegible]

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APP, BURKETT & CO. [illegible]

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Mechanics'
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Billiards & Cushions

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Coughs and Colds yield
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Cough, Croup and Hoarse[ness] are efficaciously treated by Dr. [Jayne']s Expectorant. It removes [difficu]lty of breathing and oppres[sion of] the throat or lungs, promotes [expector]ation of mucus and subdues [the vi]olence of these complaints at [the o]nset. It is a Safe Family Cura[tive o]f long-established reputation, [and wh]ere promptly administered, [has en]abled many to escape serious [lung] Affections.

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DR. GIBBON'S
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Morning Oregonian.

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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

The Penalty of Iniquity.

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—A joint indictment found against Jacob Rehm, A. C. Hesing and J. F. Hoyt charges that in February, 1874, these three men conspired together with George Miller, Henry C. Fredericks, Joseph Roelle, Henry B. Miller, Frederick L. Reed, Wm. Cooper, Rosewell C. Melrean, E. F. Lawrence, John Robinson, J. M. Ballentine, J. B. Palmer, D. G. Rush, O. B. Dickinson, J. Abel, L. C. Leach, G. Burroughs, A. S. Powell, R. S. Mason, W. B. Golson, F. A. Eastman, Adolph Mueller, Jas. Miller, T. Goeckel, G. F. Robinson, A. Waterman, A. Sanhouse, L. Matern, Chas. I. Vergho and others, to defraud the United States of the internal revenue tax of seventy cents then imposed upon each proof gallon of 1,000,000 gallons of distilled spirits produced by the several distilleries operated by the last named parties.

Jacob Rehm is charged specifically with having given notice to the Lake Shore distillery company on June 1st, and to the works of Gholson G. Russell on July 1, 1874, that the Government officials were about to visit their distilleries for the purpose of inspecting them and that by this act the United States officers were prevented from ascertaining whether they unlawfully operated. The second count is to the effect that the same parties united in removing 100,000 proof gallons and defrauding the government of the tax of ninety cents on each gallon. The indictment against J. F. Hoyt charges him with having conspired with Rehm and Junker to defraud the Government of the tax on 50,000 gallons of spirits. A. C. Hesing is solely indicted for conspiring with Geo. Miller, H. C. Fredericks, Jos. Roelle and A. Junker to defraud the government of the tax of 70 cents on each gallon for a large quantity of spirits amounting in the aggregate to 1,000,000 gallons. The bail of Rehm is fixed at $30,000 on one indictment against him. That of Hesing was fixed at the same. On representations from counsel it was urged that the amount was excessive, since the distillers who pleaded guilty of crimes with which Hesing and Rehm were merely accused were in no case put under heavier bonds than $10,000. Prosecuting Attorney Roulet stated that the crimes were merely hinted at in the indictments, that they were the most serious ever laid at the door of any one since he had been connected with the service. For a period of ten years these men had been charged with stealing money from the government and putting it in their pockets. The evidence is sufficient to send them to the penitentiary for the rest of their natural lives, if justice be meted out in full measure. The bail of Hoyt was reduced from $60,000 to $30,000. All the indicted men gave bail and were [illegible].

Billiard Contest—Sexton Wins.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—A billiard match, three ball game, 600 points, for $500 a side between Slosson and Sexton, resulted as follows: Sexton, 600; Slosson, 482. Winner's average, "15 15-39;" Sexton's highest run, 78; Slosson's, 110.

Treasurer Defaulted.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Jan. 27.—Jonathan Earle, treasurer of the Norfolk & New Brunswick Hosiery Company, is a defaulter to the amount of $112,000. He has turned over property and stock sufficient to cover his defalcation; but the securities are not available at present. It appears that his son, [illegible] Earle, of New York, kept his bank accounts, and was given blank checks signed by Earle as treasurer, to fill out when required, to meet the current liabilities of the company, and that in using the blank checks signed at command he has overdrawn the account to the amount stated. It is said young Earle speculated in Wall street.

Ocean Telegraph Stockholders' Meeting.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—Stockholders of the International Ocean Telegraph Co., president Orton in the chair, yesterday considered plans for an equitable base for consolidation of the preferred and common stock, and referred the subject to the directors, with power to carry out the plan which recommends the retirement of preferred stock and the issue in lieu thereof of three shares of common for every two shares of preferred, no stock to be issued until 90 per cent. of the stockholders have given their consent in writing.

The Attempted Safe Robbery.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—The plot to rifle the safes of Adams Express Company, has just been made public. Samuel Gaunt, a discharged employe, recently [illegible] private detectives that Francis E. McMahon, also discharged from the service of the company, had called on him, and exhibiting various keys, made from wax impressions, that McMahon had taken off the locks on the safes, known as Pittsburg and New York safes, proposed the two should enter the building and rifle the safes. When McMahon was made aware that the company and the authorities know of the intended robbery, he entered into negotiations with Joe Hoey, through Counsellor Kintzing, offering to surrender the keys if not prosecuted. Hoey would only agree that if McMahon would surrender himself with the keys, and tell all he knows about the many thefts from safes of the company, and furnish the names of his accomplices, including the name and address of the manufacturer of the keys, and all other facts within his knowledge, he would not be very rigorously prosecuted. McMahon would not consent to this, and negotiations were broken off and he fled the city.

The McKee Trial.

The Tribune's St. Louis special says a single day has presented all of McKee's evidence in denial of his connection with the whisky ring. This defense has not been all that was expected; it was thought more suspicious circumstances would be explained away. The result shows that McKee's counsel rely on their powers of argument before the jury and the instructions of the court. Voorhees, McKee's leading counsel, said, just before leaving the court room to-night: "The case looks even better than I had expected." While the direct evidence for McKee was not especially noticeable, his counsel viewing the matter from a legal standpoint think they have made a strong point in setting government witnesses against each other and involving them in contradiction. A large number of witnesses were introduced to swear to McKee's good character, among them were Judge Knight of the St. Louis circuit, ex-Gov. Thurston Polk, I. Roy, B. Gratz Brown, Judge John F. Long (surveyor of the port), ex-Mayor Joe Brown, Mayor Britton, Wayman Crow, Wm. H. Benton, Judge David Wagner (Supreme Court), Judge Warner of the probate court, and Sheriff Thos. A. Rather. Voorhees spoke of the attempt of the conspirators to drag him down and throw in the shade the venality of their own crimes. Fisher's statement that he saw four hundred and eighty dollars paid to McKee was pronounced a base falsehood, and the unreasonableness of the circumstances and [illegible] was pointed out from the facts of the character of these men and their acquaintances. Engelke's interview with McKee at the Globe office was admitted as a fact, but Engelke's version of the subject matter was declared wholly false, on the testimony of Bohle, Maguire and Hardway, whose statements went to prove that Engelke visited McKee to secure his influence with the collector for the release of liquors seized in Colorado, and not for the purpose of preventing the exposure of the ring.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 28.—At the McKee trial, District Attorney Dyer followed Col. Hatch and made a general review of the theory brought out in the trial, and said the government was obliged to introduce confessed conspirators in order to unfold the terrific swindle upon the revenue and he claimed their testimony left no doubt of guilt of those against whom they testified. He showed the relations of McKee and McDonald and Joyce who had already been convicted, and how essential it was to keep him in the ring that he might throw his great influence to protect them from the powers at Washington. The counsel analyzed all the testimony and insisted that the prosecution had clearly proved the existence of a conspiracy and McKee's connection with it.

More Crooked Whisky Indictments.

CHICAGO, Jan. 28.—This afternoon the grand jury of the U. S. court came into the court room and presented a new batch of indictments. They said in answer to the inquiry of Judge Blodgett, that they had further business and then retired to their room. The indictments are four in number: one of them against H. B. [illegible], Miller and Frederick L. Reed, his son-in-law; another against Enoch Powell, James Haas and Thomas F. Dilley; another against Orlando B. Dickinson, Jonathan Abel and George T. Burroughs; the 4th against Ed. T. Lawrence, Jas. M. Ballantine and John Robinson. Each of the indictments contains several counts. They are all substantially alike in their averments. They charge the defendants named with having, during 1874 and 1875, removed large quantities of distilled liquors from their distilleries to some place to the jurors unknown without having paid the U. S. tax thereon. The number of gallons is specified in the different counts and runs all the way from 5,000 to 100,000 gallons. There are also charges of conspiracy to defraud the United States of its revenue, with certain parties named being for the most part persons who have already pleaded guilty. Judge Blodgett fixed the amount of bail [illegible] of each of these defendants at $[illegible].

Loss by the Northampton Robbery Exceeds $1,000,000.

BOSTON, Jan. 28.—It is now believed that the loss by the robbery of the Northampton National Bank will exceed $1,000,000, and a very large amount, perhaps one half of the stolen securities are negotiable. It has been ascertained that the burglars rode from Springfield to Northampton Tuesday night, with a fast team engaged at Burns' livery stable about two weeks previously by a man who said they wanted to go to a surprise party at Holyoke. When the team was returned on Wednesday morning, the horses showed signs of hard driving and were very much exhausted. The hostler gives a very clear description of the man who hired and returned the team, and it is surmised that he was the manager of the robbery. The detectives are hard at work and have information not yet made public, which may be of great importance.

Secret Meeting of Members of Wisconsin Legislature.

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 28.—A secret meeting of the members of the legislature opposed to the repeal of the Potter law was held at Madison last evening. Senator Potter and others addressed the meeting. It is stated that there were a sufficient number present to defeat the bill to repeal the law.

Louisiana Legislature.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. [illegible].—In the Senate to-day a resolution was introduced asking for a joint committee to investigate the rumors as to Senator J. A. West being counted by bribery and other corrupt measures, and also other charges against him. Referred. The resolution will come up to-morrow.

Fire.

FOXBORO, MASS., Jan. 28.—V. S. Pond's steam mill and box factory was burned last night. Loss $10,000. No insurance.

Fatally Shot.

RALEIGH, Jan. 28.—On Tuesday evening Adolphus Moore, member of the manufacturing firm of Holt & Moore, at Haw river, was fatally shot by George W. Swepson, known in connection with the financial history of North Carolina.

Direct Ocean Telegraph Working Again.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—The direct cable company has resumed business, via Nova Scotia.

Money and Stocks.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—Gold closed 11[illegible]; money, [illegible]; Governments dull and strong; stocks active and unsettled. Western Union 77¼, Quicksilver, 17½, Pacific Mail 38⅞, Mariposa, 8⅞, N. Y. C. 111⅝, Erie 16⅞, Panama 133, U. P. 70, do bonds 103⅞, Central bonds 107⅞.

Effort to Have Winslow Sent Back.

BOSTON, Jan. 28.—The authorities of Massachusetts have telegraphed to representatives Harris and Pierce at Washington, asking them to use their influence with the minister from Holland to induce his government to deliver to our government the body of Winslow, the fugitive forger.

An informal meeting of Winslow's creditors will be held at the *Daily Press* office on Monday next. It is stated that the skillful forgeries indicate Winslow had a confederate, as he was not an expert penman.

Northampton Bank Robbery.

SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 28.—It is now believed that the whole amount of losses by the Northampton bank robbery is over one million dollars, nearly half of which is negotiable.

Meeting of the Stockholders of the Boston Post Company.

BOSTON, Jan. 28.—At a meeting of the stockholders of the Boston *Post* Company, to-day, it was resolved there should be no interruption of the publication of the paper or other business of the company. The largest holders of stock are determined that the interest of property shall not be jeopardized in the least.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.

The President pro tem laid before the Senate the House bill fixing the rate of postage on third class mail matter, which was read by title.

Morrill from the committee on appropriations, reported without amendment the House bill relating to the centennial celebration of American independence and recommended its passage. Placed on the calendar. He gave notice he would call it up for action on Monday.

Hitchcock presented a memorial of the legislative assembly of New Mexico asking for the passage of an act to admit that Territory into the Union as a State on an equal footing with other States. Referred.

The Senate committee on privileges and elections decided to report back to the Senate the papers purporting to be the credentials of election of J. B. Eustis as senator from Louisiana, with a recommendation that they lie on the table without further action, because they find that at the time of his alleged election there was no vacancy. This report was determined by the vote of Morton.

Logan introduced a bill to establish a mint for the coinage of gold and silver at Chicago. Referred.

Booth presented a resolution of the California Legislature asking an appropriation for the construction of a breakwater at San Luis Obispo, in that state and declaring the harbor at that place a port of entry. Referred to the committee on commerce.

Morton, from the committee on privileges and elections, reported back the papers relating to the claim of J. B. Eustis for U. S. senator from Louisiana, with a written report declaring that in the opinion of the committee there is no vacancy in the Senate, B. P. S. Pinchback having been elected U. S. Senator for the term commencing March 1, 1873. He recommended that the papers be laid on the table and printed; so ordered.

Saulsbury said as a member of the committee on privileges and elections, he dissented from the conclusion of the majority. In his judgment there was a vacancy existing at the time of the election of Eustis, and his credentials, although irregular in form, were all that was necessary to entitle him to this seat, and at the proper time he (Saulsbury) would state the grounds of his dissent.

Merrimon, member of the committee, also dissented and said he had given his reasons already at considerable length.

Morton gave notice that on Wednesday of next week he would ask the Senate to proceed to the consideration of the Louisiana Senatorial case. He thought it should be settled one way or another.

The Chair stated Wednesday had been set as the day to pay tribute to the memory of the late Senator from Connecticut (Ferry).

Morton then said he would call the Louisiana case up on the following day.

Howe said he was glad to hear his friend Morton give the notice as it really seemed to him (Howe) that this question was one of the highest privilege. It not only affected the right of a man to a seat but it affected the right of a State to representation on this floor. The Senate should either fill the vacancy or refuse to do so, and let the people of Louisiana send some one else here.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA 3.65 BONDS.

After the expiration of the morning hour consideration was resumed of the bill to pay interest on the 3.65 District of Columbia bonds.

Allison submitted an amendment providing that any issue of said bonds beyond the sum of $15,000,000 is hereby prohibited.

Sargent said he did not think the amendment of his friend from Iowa went far enough. He therefore submitted the following as a substitute for that amendment, which provided that the certificates heretofore issued by the boards of audit, including those converted into [illegible] bonds and those which have not been so converted, and certificates hereafter issued by the board of audit or their successors in office shall not exceed in the aggregate the sum of $15,000,000.

Allison said the amendment of Sargent might be added to that submitted.

Hamilton of Texas, inquired if the Senator from California (Sargent) thought his amendment would stop the issue of 3.65 bonds. As long as Congress recognized these bonds, the issue of them would be continued. He would undertake to say that the issue would go on until the amount reached $50,000,000 unless Congress stopped it.

Sargent said the object of his amendment was to cut off the power of the commissioners to issue more bonds.

Thurman alluded to the bill to provide a government for the district submitted at the last session by Morrill of Maine and said the Senator from Indiana (Morton) found something in it against color or previous condition of servitude and he thundered away at it. The Senator from Delaware (Bayard) found something in it about the liquor business, which aroused him.

Morton—That was against the Democratic party.

Thurman—Yes, it was entirely too moral.

Resuming his argument Thurman spoke of the estimate to complete the work submitted by Gov. Sheppard and said they were made after the work had been ordered and contracts awarded, and there was no excuse whatever for an under estimate. He read from the guarantee clause of the section authorizing the issue of 3.65 bonds and said it was a qualified guarantee. The pledge was that Congress would levy taxes to pay the portion of the bonds which should be paid by the people of the district and the portion to be paid by the general government should be paid out of the national treasury. He argued that Congress should pay a portion of the expenses of the district, but that portion never had been determined. Congress had neglected that duty. The first thing which Congress ought to do, should be to declare what portion of the interest and principal of these should be paid out of the national treasury, and the balance could be collected from the people of the district. In conclusion he said he preferred the resolution as it came from the House of Representatives, and was opposed to the amendments proposed by the Senate committee on appropriations, striking out the proviso prohibiting any further issue of 3.65 bonds, and that nothing in the resolution shall involve the government of the United States in any obligation to pay the principal, or interest of such bonds which have been issued contrary to or not in pursuance of law.

Sargent submitted an addition to the amendment presented by him so as to provide that when the limit in the issue of said bonds shall be reached the board of audit of the district shall be abolished and all papers in their possession turned over to the district commissioners.

Pending the discussion Bogy presented the memorial of G. C. Bingham, Adjutant General of Missouri, asking the passage of a law authorizing the examination, allowance and payment of claims of that state against the general government for supplies furnished the U. S. troops during the late war. Referred to committee on military affairs.

A message was received from the House of Representatives announcing the death of Mr. Starkweather and the action of the House thereon. The Senate as a mark of respect to the memory of the deceased adjourned until Monday.

House.

The Speaker announced the following select committee on the real estate pool and Jay Cooke's indebtedness: Glover, New, Lewis, [illegible] and Smith of Pennsylvania.

Elkins of New Mexico presented a memorial of the territorial legislature for an enabling act and the admission of New Mexico as a state. [illegible] offered a resolution declaring that the people of the United States constitute a nation [illegible] to the extent and for the purposes defined in the Federal Constitution, that the rights and powers of the United States Government are defined and limited by the Federal Constitution, and cannot be enlarged or diminished except by amendments to the Constitution, etc.

Hamilton and others objected.

On motion of Whitthorne, chairman of the committee on naval affairs, a select committee consisting of Whitthorne, Willis and Danford was authorized to take testimony at Norfolk in regard to the alleged abuses and frauds at that navy yard.

Singleton, from the committee on appropriations, reported the consular and diplomatic appropriation bill, which was made the special order for Wednesday next. It appropriates $922,847 and fixes the pay of ministers to Great Britain, France, Germany and Russia, at $14,000 each; to Spain, Austria, Brazil, Mexico and Japan, $10,000; to Italy, $8,000; to Portugal, Switzerland, Belgium, Netherlands, Denmark, Sweden and Norway, Turkey, Venezuela and Hawaiian Islands, $5,000 each; to Chile and Bolivia (one mission) $6,500; to Peru, Ecuador and Colombia (one mission) $6,500; to the Argentine Republic, Paraguay and Uruguay (one mission) $6,000; to Guatemala, Costa Rica, Honduras, Salvador and Nicaragua (one mission) $10,000, and to Liberia, $4,000. The report accompanying the bill is prefaced by extracts from the enactment upon which the service stands, embracing some of the sources of information the committee had before them in their exhaustive research in studies of South American countries, in which the reduction of representation is principally made. These data consist principally of tables, showing the commerce, extent and population at different periods since these countries have established an independent form of government.

Springer introduced bills to prohibit American citizens from holding slaves in foreign countries and to regulate elections in Utah Territory.

Hunton, from the committee on Revolutionary pensions, reported a bill to amend the act of the 14th February, 1871, pensioning soldiers of the war of 1812 and to restore to the pension rolls those persons whose names were stricken therefrom in consequence of disloyalty. He moved to have the bill put upon its passage.

Conger made the point that it must first be considered in committee of the whole.

The point of order was sustained and the bill was so referred.

WEST POINT MILITARY ACADEMY.

The House then went into committee of the whole, Haskins in the chair, on the Military Academy appropriation bill.

The clerk proceeded to read the bill by sections, for amendment.

Hamilton of New Jersey, moved to amend the clause for the pay of the cadets, by striking out the words, "at $500 each, in addition to rations" and substituting the words "at $540."

Hale moved to amend by striking out $540 and substituting $600. In support of his amendment, Hale said he deprecated anything which should be looked upon as an attack on this institution. He deprecated anything which should be considered as a first step in the direction of attack on the military establishments. The country was in no danger of a large standing army that should oppress the people and burden it and eat up its revenues. The military organization had been reduced, and was to-day only what was needed for frontier purposes. If this was the first step in the direction of attack on that establishment, he warned the gentlemen on the other side that the country would not sustain them in such a movement.

Randall, chairman of the committee on appropriations, opposed Hale's amendment and said the fact was that none of the money went into the pockets of the cadets, but was an appropriation made for their support, and it was believed that $540 was sufficient for that purpose. Any report to show that the committee was cutting down in any degree any of the comforts or requirements of the cadets was a mistake. It was true there was a bill pending in which the question of economy came up, but no gentleman knew better than the gentleman from Maine (Hale) that the committee had decided on a uniform reduction through all departments. That reduction which was to be 10 per cent was to be further carried out by reducing the number of employes 20 per cent, and by increasing the hours of service from six to eight hours.

Hale asked Randall whether he did not propose to make any exceptions to that rule.

Randall replied that as there were exceptions to all rules so the committee had made important exceptions to this rule. It had excepted for instance the Vice President and Librarian of Congress and they should continue to make exceptions in cases of meritorious and useful officers of government. But the policy of the gentleman from Maine (Hale) seemed to indicate a determined purpose on the part of the other side of the House to obstruct the committee in its economical reform movement. He hoped the members on his side of the House would march forward to the support of the committee on appropriations, for he declared to the House and to the people that in no particular did that committee mean to do injustice in the least degree.

Durham spoke against the reduction of the pay of cadets, and said he was in favor of legitimate reductions but would not be led into reduction by any party or leaders of party.

The question was taken on Hale's amendment and it was rejected—38 to 95.

Cox complained that the members of the Republican side of the House were obstructionists to reform. They had commenced by opposing reform on the West Point bill,—where would they end? They would oppose reform on the navy bill, on the army bill, on the consular and diplomatic bill and on the civil service bill. Where was reform to be begun if not here on this particularly prodigal and luxurious system at West Point? There was no other place where they could begin so well. He had here an order from Gen. Townsend signed by order of the Secretary of War in which he read that no officer, either active or retired, shall directly or indirectly, without being called upon by proper authority, suggest, or recommend any action to any member of Congress on a question of military business. He inferred that the gentlemen from Maine and Illinois (Hale and Hurlburt) had had advantage of some suggestions from officers, from professors at West Point, or, perhaps, from Gen. Townsend. This very curious order of Gen. Townsend contains also this sentence: "The foregoing is not intended to prevent officers from illustrating measures before Congress which have received the sanction or favor of the President, Secretary of War, or the General of the Army." Now, Mr. Chairman, I ask simply to have this paper put on record,—alluding to Gen. Townsend's order—so that members can see whence the information comes by which gentlemen on the other side of the House oppose economy.

Hale said: I do not propose to take any lessons in economy from the gentleman from New York. I have had some experience in this House in attempting to reduce the expenditures of the Government. The committee on appropriations, in past years, has gone through a great work in that direction. Neither I nor the chairman nor any member of that committee, nor any member of this side of the House, has ever received any assistance in that work from the gentleman from New York (Cox), yet he stands here to-day and points to us and to me as standing in the way of the reduction in the expenditures of the Government, and he arrogates to himself, and to his party, the credit of first seeking to lessen the burdens of the people. Mr. Chairman, that gentleman knows that we are to-day, two months advanced in this session. He knows that the main time of the session has been taken up in the introduction of bills by himself and his friends on the other side of the House, making fresh demands upon the treasury. He knows these claims are coming up from the South in demands running from $10 to $500,000,000 and that they aggregate ten times as much as the Republican party has saved heretofore. He knows that there is not a man in the South who lost a mule through the advances of the Federal army that is not coming up here and clamoring for pay from the United States. He knows there is a claim here for $50,000,000 to pay the cotton tax. The point of all that I am saying is, that when these claims come up and are pushed from that side of the House, he will not dare to vote against them.

Cox—I have voted against them.

Hale—I will submit to the record when it comes up. I do not care what the gentleman has done in the past, but I know now that he is drawn along in the current which he cannot resist and that when these claims come up and the word is sent to him by his masters, he will not dare to vote against them, and that these claims will be sustained, with some exceptions. It may be on that side of the House and I say now that I do not believe that Mr. Cox will be an exception.

Cox, in reply to Hale, said the gentleman cannot find anything wrong in my record or votes either for retrenchment or prodigality to justify him in saying I have any masters except the people—my constituents. What did he mean by "my masters." On what meat doth this our Cæsar feed that he is grown so great as to talk in that way to me?

Hale—Does the gentleman want me to answer?

Cox—Yes, not promptly.

Hale—I mean the feeling [illegible] ence of the party of which the gentleman has been [an] active and honored member [illegible] as I may [illegible] without being offensive to any.

Cox—[illegible] a minute. The gentleman (Hale) has been known in the last three or four Congresses as "Blaine's [illegible]."

Garfield rose to a point of order, but Hale got in an uproar and [illegible] his retort in these words: "I will put myself against the buzzing [illegible] that was shooed out of reputation and fame by the late member from Massachusetts (Butler)."

Garfield again called the gentleman (Cox) to [order] [illegible].

[illegible]

Hale [illegible] I do not call the [illegible] I shall be allowed to explain.

Garfield [illegible] gentleman (Cox) [illegible] "Blaine's [illegible]."

Cox, in a pacific mood: I withdraw [illegible].

Hale [illegible]: I am willing to put [illegible]. It is [illegible].

The chairman inquired [illegible].

Garfield said he would not insist on it.

Cox—I was [illegible] provoked [illegible] by the very unparliamentary language [illegible] Maine. He had no right [illegible] any servility. I never [illegible] the behests of southern men. All through the war I stood by my country. He had no right to indulge in that. I never voted for southern claims. I did not vote either for the Centennial bill. Did the gentleman vote for it?

Hale—I did.

Cox (triumphantly)—You voted for it this session, but last year you voted against it and gave good reasons for it too.

Hale rose to make a remark.

Cox—You sit down, if you please.

Hale—I have good reasons for both votes.

Cox—Now keep courteous.

The chairman interrupted the proceedings and said: The Chair feels it his duty to say emphatically that in a dignified House, as this ought to be, this constant clapping of hands and cheering is unbecoming, and the Chair will appeal to the good sense and judgment and common civility and decency of members of the body in asking them to refrain from it, and he will say to the people occupying seats in the galleries that if they attempt it the Chair will at once order the galleries to be cleared. The Chair cannot maintain order on the floor of the House unless every member observes the dignity and courtesy appropriate to the House of Representatives.

Cox said he entirely approved of the Speaker's ruling and continued his remarks. He said when the Democratic side of the House, after a hard old struggle to get into power—after scoundrelism, after swindling, after prodigality of many years, never straight but always crooked on your side of the House (Republican), and on the part of the administration—comes in here with one little bill for West Point, not seeking to reduce expenditures beyond what they were in 1867, it is opposed by the Republican economists eating their own words and going back on their own record. In the name of the people, who are distressed, in the name of honest men everywhere, I protest, in one word, against the whole body of that side of the House as wanting in fair square economy. All your platforms favor retrenchment and the people cry for it everywhere, and yet on the very first opportunity, when there is an honest bill brought in, which cuts down luxurious living at West Point, the whole body of Republicans fly in the face of their own platform and of their previous record.

Conger and Garfield opposed the reductions, and Lamar favored them.

Hale defended himself from the charge of inconsistency brought against him for voting against the Centennial bill last Congress and for it this Congress. The reason for his voting against it last Congress was that the bill then would have committed the government to the whole cost of the Exposition. He had never had an unpleasant personal controversy with any member, but when in the midst of a discussion that was not personal, but might be called animated, there was language used which should only be heard in low places, and where such language was hurled at him he was in vain he was apt to retort, as he had done a few minutes ago, in language equally unparliamentary, for which he should probably, as he did now, in the presence of the House apologize.

Cox—The gentleman from Maine began these personal remarks by remarking that there were masters over me.

Finally the discussion closed, and the committee proceeded to vote on the amendments.

Hamilton's amendment, making the pay of cadets $540, without an additional ration, was agreed to. All the other amendments either in regard to cadets or professors were voted down. Without discussing the bill the committee rose.

Barnum offered a resolution for the appointment of a committee of 7 to take measures for superintending the funeral of H. H. Starkweather, late member from Connecticut, who died in Washington this morning, that his remains be removed to Norwalk, Connecticut, under charge of the Sergeant at Arms and attended by the committee, and that as an additional mark of respect the House adjourn. The resolutions were agreed to. Barnum, Garfield, Wheeler, Phelps, Hoar, Landers of Connecticut and Ash were appointed such committee, and the House adjourned.

The session to-morrow to be for general debate only.

In the House to-day, Paddock, of Nebraska, presented a petition of the chiefs and headmen of the [illegible] tribe of Indians praying for the passage of a law authorizing the sale of their reservation and for the removal of said Indians to the Indian Territory. Referred to the committee on Indian affairs. He also presented a petition of citizens of Utah asking an appropriation for the centennial exhibition at Philadelphia, referred to the committee on appropriations.

Democratic Caucus.

A Democratic caucus was announced for to-morrow evening.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Important Land Decision.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Secretary Chandler has rendered an important decision in the case of Montgomery vs Rickards, contestants for tracts of land in Oregon, revising a former decision of Secretary Delano and cancelling a patent certificate heretofore issued to Rickards. The case was argued by senator Mitchell in favor of the cancellation of the patent certificate, one of the principal points being the right of the Secretary to overrule a decision of his predecessor.

Corrupt Officials Indicted.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—True bills of indictment have been found by the grand jury against the following persons: Frederick A. Sawyer, W. I. Haynes, Frank W. Brooks, Phineas D. Roddy and Wm. H. Barstow, for conspiring to defraud and actually defrauding the government of the United States of the following sums of money: $21,315 and $44,257; F. W. Brooks and Phineas D. Roddy, for presenting a false claim; F. A. Sawyer for aiding, as Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, in passing a government claim and receiving therefor $1,000; Wm. H. Barstow, a government officer, receiving $1,000 and a watch and chain; W. T. Haines, also a government officer, receiving $1,000.

Representative Dead.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—H. H. Starkweather, representative from Connecticut, died here this morning.

Black Hills Excitement Reviving.

The Chicago *Tribune's* Yankton special says: The return of parties here, with good reports from the Black Hills gold fields, is causing great activity among those who are going there, and many parties are leaving daily. Reliable parties have purchased wagons and mules to put on a wagon train from Fort Pierre, on the Missouri river, to the mines, for passengers and freight, a distance of 100 miles, in connection with a railroad and boat line from here. The *Tribune's* Lincoln, Nebraska, special says large bodies of men are passing through there every day bound for the Black Hills.

Award of the Alabama Claims Commissioners.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—The commissioners of the *Alabama* claims to-day awarded $[illegible] to [illegible] House, of San Francisco.

A Delegation from Utah Visit the President.

The President was visited to-day by a delegation from Utah, consisting of Oliver A. Patton, register of the land office, General Maxwell, U. S. marshal for Utah, and other prominent gentiles from that Territory. They particularly desired to arrive at some means by which the crime of polygamy may be reached in the courts, and to this end propose a revision of the jury law by which a polygamist shall be excluded as a juror. Under the present system with Mormon polygamists in the jury box it is an impossibility to obtain convictions. The interview also related to the suffrage question in Utah, the delegation contending that the church leaders entirely control the ballot among Mormons, many of whom would vote with the Gentiles if they would be allowed. The President expressed his sympathy for any movements tending to alleviate the present condition of matters in Utah and the evils spoken of by the delegates, and assured them of his persistent aid in all laws passed towards that end.

National Democratic Executive Committee.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—The national Democratic executive committee meets this evening.

Centennial Appropriation.

The Senate committee on appropriations in their consideration of the million and a half centennial appropriation bill to-day deemed it unnecessary to rectify the clerical error in the preamble, as this does not affect the body of the bill, and might delay the passage of the measure by returning it to the House for concurrence. They, therefore, reported the bill precisely as it came from the House.

Meeting of the National Democratic Executive Committee.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—A meeting of the national Democratic executive committee was held at the Arlington Hotel to-night, Augustus Schell, chairman.

On motion of Senator Randolph, of New Jersey, it was resolved to begin an early and active organization of the Democratic party throughout the United States for the campaign of 1876. Senator Randolph was chosen vice chairman, Hon. W. H. Barnum of Connecticut treasurer, and A. D. Banks of Mississippi, resident secretary. Speaker Kerr, Senators Wallace, Gordon of Georgia and Stevenson of Kentucky, and Representatives Lamar and Collins were present.

WEST INDIES.

Insurrection in Cuba.

HAVANA, Jan. [illegible], VIA KEY WEST, Jan. 28.—A report [illegible] here that the insurgents on Tuesday [illegible] the city of Cienfuegos. They afterwards moved towards the bay and set fire to the coast [illegible] at the wharf. Particulars are wanting.

A revolution has broken out in Hayti. The president [illegible] Port au Prince [illegible] Bassett, the U. S. minister, who is [illegible] president of the club has returned to a [illegible].

CENTRAL AMERICA.

War Imminent.

PANAMA, Jan. 27.—War is imminent between Guatemala and San Salvador. Both countries are arming.

Panama Railway to be Examined Into.

A Government commission has been appointed [illegible] the Panama railroad. Heavy suits for violation of contract have been begun and the Colombian Government has threatened to demand the abrogation of the contract.

CANADA.

Woman Suffrage in Canada.

TORONTO, Jan. 2[illegible].—In the Ontario legislature to-day a bill giving women the right to vote in municipal elections and on money by-laws was defeated by a small majority.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

The Nuncio's Report on Spanish Affairs.

ROME, Jan. 27.—Cardinal Simeoni, nuncio at Madrid, has made a report on the Spanish elections, in which he says the government of King Alfonso has been compelled to accept an alliance with the defenders of the so called religious liberty in order to secure political victory.

Distinguished Actor Dead.

PARIS, Jan. 27.—Frederic le Maitre, the actor, is dead.

Execution of the Press Law in France.

PARIS, Jan. 27.—M. Brossel, Bonapartist, sentenced under the provisions of the new press law to a fine and imprisonment for distributing, without the proper authorization, invitations to a mass for the late Emperor.

Amendments to the German Penal Code.

BERLIN, Jan. 27.—In the Reichstag to-day amendments to the penal code were considered. The clause imposing penalties on members of secret societies and the clause directed against acts inciting to hostility between different classes, and attacking national institutions were rejected. Count von Eulenburg, Minister of the Interior, declared that the aim of the Social Democrats was to establish a Red Republic with communism and atheism. The new provisions were required to obviate the necessity of some day drawing the sword.

A Berlin telegram says the Reichstag has modified the proposed clause of the penal code prohibiting immigration agencies, by adopting an amendment punishing agents only for wilful misrepresentations.

Additions to the Penal Code Rejected.

The Reichstag has rejected the additions to the penal code for further restricting the clergy by prohibiting the posting of objectionable communications on the church doors.

Reduction of the Austrian Army Discussed.

VIENNA, Jan. 27.—The committee of the reichsrath passed a resolution in favor of the appointment of a special committee to consider the question of reducing the army and ultimately propose an international congress to discuss the question of a general reduction of forces.

Reported Intention of the Sultan to Declare War not Confirmed.

LONDON, Jan. 27.—The Russian telegraphic agency has received a dispatch from St. Petersburg, saying that so far, the announcement of the Montenegrin *Gazette* that the Sultan is resolved to declare war against Montenegro, is unconfirmed. The relations between the Prince and Porte are, however, in a state of great tension. The Powers will exercise strong pressure on both sides to prevent the conflict which threatens to block the work of pacification.

The Ragusa correspondent of the *Times* telegraphs that it is impossible as yet to obtain any clear idea of Wednesday's engagement on the Trebinje road. It is certain however that the Herzegovinians were outflanked and driven off the road, but they were not pursued, nor did they suffer serious loss.

A telegram from Stagno to the *Times* says: In the attack upon the Turkish camp near Kleck, the insurgents destroyed a village held by the Turks. A Turkish frigate then opened a cannonade on the attacking party which retired after half an hour's firing. The losses are not known.

England Reservations in Her Reply to Andrassy's Note.

LONDON, Jan. 28.—The *Times'* Berlin correspondent writes that England's reservations in her acceptance of Andrassy's note refer to the rearrangement of the agrarian laws and the sale of crown lands to villagers. All the powers have reserved liberty of action in case either the Sultan or the rebels reject the reform propositions.

Queen Victoria to Visit the Emperor of Germany.

LONDON, Jan. 28.—A Berlin dispatch says it is expected that Queen Victoria will visit the Imperial court while she is in Germany.

Austrian Orders Affecting the Herzegovinian Insurgents.

A special from Vienna reports that the Austrian frontier authorities have forbidden the formation of bands in Croatia to aid the insurgents. Orders have been issued to disarm and "intern" all insurgents who cross the frontier into Austrian territory. Strong detachments of troops will be sent to Dalmatia in the spring to enforce these orders.

English Government Ship sent for Lieut. Cameron.

LONDON, Jan. 28.—The government has ordered the steamship *Sirius* to proceed to the station of Loanda, west coast of Africa, and to take aboard Lieut. Cameron and party, who have marched through the southern central part of Africa from the Indian Ocean to the Atlantic. Lieut. Cameron's native escort will be taken to Zanzibar. Lieut. Cameron's health is fully restored.

English Ritualists.

The *Voce Della Verita* newspaper at Rome, noticing the report in the English papers of the secret negotiations between the extremist Anglican clergy and the Vatican, looking to the secession to Rome of the whole body of ritualists, strenuously denies the existence of any such negotiation, and says there is a powerful, but not secret, move among the English Protestant clergy towards a return to the glorious unity of the church.

The Rev. Frank George Lee, Vicar of All Saints, Lambeth, to whom the correspondent credited the letter to Archbishop Manning and the promotion of the petition to the Pope on that subject, writes to the *Manchester Guardian* denying any connection therewith.

Defeat of the Insurgents at Trebigne Admitted.

RAGUSA, Jan. 28.—Accounts from Slavonic sources admit the defeat of the insurgents at the Trebigne road on Wednesday, but represent that the Turks were greatly superior in numbers. They admit a loss of 150 killed, and claim that the Turks lost 1,300.

Two Battles in One Day.

RAGUSA, Jan. 28.—Accounts from Sclavonic sources say there were two simultaneous engagements on Wednesday. The insurgents were beaten at the Trebigne road. The other engagement was near Neum and resulted in the Turks retreating under cover of the fire of their men of war at Kleck.

LONDON, Jan. 27.—The *Times'* special from Ragusa says in Wednesday's battle the whole available Turkish forces in Herzegovina, 8,000 men, with artillery and irregulars attacked the position held by 2,000 insurgents. The Turks advanced in three columns to within 150 yards of the enemy's lines receiving their fire steadily. They then halted and threw a strong column around the insurgents' right, which gave way and fled precipitately. The left wing covered their retreat and while withdrawing deliberately maintained a fire, which checked the pursuit. The insurgents report a loss of 12 killed and 30 wounded. The Turkish losses are unknown. The insurgent army moved northward on Friday in good order and good spirits.

The Weiner *Presse* reports, during the insurgent attack on the Turkish camp near Neum yesterday, three Turkish men-of-war, anchored off Kleck, unexpectedly opened a violent cannonade on the Herzegovinians. As the vessels were in Austrian waters at the time, their action has caused considerable surprise. The result of the attack is not known.

The Sultan Willing to Accept Andrassy's Note.

VIENNA, Jan. 28.—*Neue Freie Presse* has information from Constantinople that the Grand Vizier has intimated to the ambassadors of the European powers that the Sultan is willing to accept Count Andrassy's recommendations but is determined to permit no foreign interference or control in the execution of reforms.

Battle Between the Royalists and Carlists Imminent.

SAN SEBASTIAN, Jan. 28.—At Gurutemandi yesterday the Royalists captured sixty Carlists, one cannon and one mortar. Gen. Loma continues his advance into the interior of Biscay and a battle is imminent in Eurola valley.

Results of the Battle between the Royalists and Carlists.

LONDON, Jan. 28.—The *Times* correspondent, writing from San Sebastian, summarizes the results of the fighting on Tuesday. On the right and center beyond Hernani, the Alfonsists were successful. On the left, if they really seriously intended to penetrate to Vera, they were completely baffled. Gen. Morlones returned to San Sebastian escorted by two battalions of troops and camped on the captured positions. The writer gives the following description of the fighting on the Vera road: Up to 3 P. M. the Alfonsists seemed to be successful. At the foot of a conical hill on the slope of a great three crowned mountain, where a Carlist battalion was entrenched, the two parties exchanged fire for an hour. At 4 o'clock the Alfonsists attempted to advance with bayonets, but recoiled before the heavy fire from the entrenchments. Then I could see the Carlists leaving their positions and charging down the hill after their retreating foes. An intervening slope hid the combatants from sight but from the nearer approach of the sound of musketry and the incessant fire of artillery from the Alfonsist forts, I judged the Carlists were following up their success.

The writer concludes: It is generally believed that a simultaneous movement is being made in the provinces of Navarre and Biscay. If so, a very few days will prove whether the Carlist war is ended or another campaign is to drag through the coming summer.

Portland Ship Arrived at Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 29.—Arrived—Ship *City of [illegible]* from Portland, Oregon.

Egyptian Finances.

LONDON, Jan. 28.—The Eastern Telegraph Company publishes a telegram from Barrot Bey of the Khedive's household, dated at the palace at Cairo, denying the rumors prevalent in London with regard to Egyptian finances and guaranteeing the following intelligence as from a sure source: Mr. Cave, the British commissioner, having obtained all the information required, contemplates returning to England shortly, as the government wishes to confer with him. Mr. Cave had made no unfavorable report on Egyptian finances.

Eminent Hungarian Statesman Dead.

LONDON, Jan. 28.—A special from Buda Pesth to the *Times*, announces the death of M. Deak. During yesterday's sitting of the Hungarian Diet news was received that M. Deak was dying. The House immediately adjourned. All the afternoon anxious crowds surrounded the residence of the dying statesman.

Indignation Meeting at Posen.

LONDON, Jan. 27.—A dispatch from Berlin says there is great agitation in Posen over the proposed law to make the use of the German language compulsory in the Public offices and courts of law. Indignation meetings are organizing and petitions to the Emperor against the measure are preparing.

Disturbances on the Occasion of Ledochowski's Liberation.

The government is apprehensive of disturbances on the occasion of Archbishop Ledochowski's liberation next week, and is taking precautions against them.

The Pardon of Von Arnim Prayed For.

At a meeting of the representatives of all branches of the Arnim family, a petition to the Emperor was adopted praying for the pardon of Count Henry Von Arnim.

What the British Government Intend.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—The *Daily News* states that on Mr. Cave's return, the Government intends, in accordance with the request of the Khedive, to send out two financiers who will hold offices under the Khedive. Barrot Bey, mentioned in a previous dispatch, is a private secretary of the Khedive.

Senor Castelar will Take His Seat in the Cortes.

MADRID, Jan. 28.—Senor Castelar has announced that he will take his seat in the Cortes.

Proclamation of the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.

DUBLIN, Jan. 28.—The Lord Lieutenant of Ireland has issued a proclamation revoking the application of the Peace Preservation act to the counties of Kildare and Wicklow and portions of the counties of Wermaugh and Down.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco Stock Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 28.—Ophir 59, Mexican 10½, G & C 22¼, B & B 61½, Savage 22½, Chollar 92, H & N 59⅞, Point 22¼, Jacket 97, Imperial 9, Empire Mill 5½, Alpha 24¼, Kentuck 12¼, Belcher 32¼, Confidence 20, Con Virginia 417, Justice 28¼, Succor 2¼, Union 9¼, Bryan 3½, Julia 15⅞, Caledonia 34, S Nevada 23, Overman 64½, Bullion 48, Cala 84⅞, Exchequer 13.

EVENING BOARD.—R & E 18½, Eu Con 15⅞, Jackson 2½, Alps 4¼, Ann Flag 87c, Ad Hill 3, Belmont 1¼, Newark 40c, Rye Patch 1, Eldo South 75c, Leopard 11, Jefferson 5⅞, Gila 2¼, Panther 2⅞, N Belle 30, Hussey 1⅞, Gen Thomas 9½, St Patrick 4, Mansfield 70c, Advance 7¼, Coso Con 1⅞, Globe 1¼, Balto 3¼, New Coso 1¼, Chariot G 1⅞, Poorman 87½c, Utah 18½, S Hill 11⅞, Rock Island 8⅞, Seg Caledonia 12, Mint 35c, L Washn 3⅞, Challenge 5⅞, Dayton 6½, Pictou 55c, New York 1½, Occidental 4, Senator 2, Sheridan 1, Alta 3, Woodville 2⅞, Kossuth 3½, Andes 3⅞, Mides 7½, Florida 2½, Europa 62½c, North Utah 50c, Wells Fargo 30c, Niagara 37½, Leviathan 1⅞, Maryland 50c, Morning Star 5, West Belcher 2¼, Glasgow 1⅞, Trojan 1⅞.

Greenbacks—88⅞ buying; 89¼ selling.

Assault with Intent to Commit Murder.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 28.—About seven last night, a number of butchers were seated around the stove in Sprecu's saloon, Butchertown, South S. F., when two of them, one named George H. Busbridge, and the other known as "Harry," got into an altercation about some trivial matter, when Busbridge arose and struck Harry in the left breast with a butcher knife, inflicting a wound which will probably cause death. Busbridge, who was considerably under the influence of liquor, was arrested on a charge of assault to commit murder.

Forgery.

J. Nicholson Elbert, who was arrested a few days ago by U. S. Detective Finnegass on a requisition from New York charging him with having forged U. S. bonds, was yesterday remanded to New York for trial.

Rosenblatt.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 28.—Samson Rosenblatt was to-day brought before the Supreme Court, by which he was placed in the custody of the sheriff for safe-keeping. The New York officer arrived to-day with a requisition for him from the governor of that State and a warrant from Gov. Irwin.

The Antioch Case.

In the Antioch distillery case, to-day, the argument for the defense concluded. The district attorney will close for the prosecution this afternoon, and the case will probably go to the jury by evening.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 28.—The arguments in the Antioch distillery case, in the U. S. district court, was not finished this afternoon. The case is continued until Monday.

Money Plenty.

The regular semi-monthly collections are being made to-day. Money is plentiful, and no complaints are being made on change.

Bank of California Assessment Levied.

The directors of the Bank of California have levied another assessment of 10 per cent., in accordance with an agreement with the syndicate [illegible] delinquent Feb. 28th.

The Panama Steamer.

The steamer *Alaska*, substituted for the *Constitution*, is to leave for Panama to-morrow, the latter having not yet arrived.

Requisition for Rosenblatt Arrived.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 27.—Officer O'Connor of the New York police arrived on the overland train this evening with a requisition from the Governor of New York, for the arrest of Samson Rosenblatt, under indictment from the grand jury of New York for fraud. Upon the presentation of the papers to Gov. Irwin, His Excellency issued a warrant for the arrest of Rosenblatt.

Did not Commit Suicide.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 28.—J. W. Warren, the young man who mysteriously disappeared from the Lick House two or three days ago, and left a note announcing his intention of committing suicide, has turned up all right.

California Legislature.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 28.—In the Senate Lewis called attention to the correspondence in the San Francisco *Chronicle* to-day, concerning himself and Senator Laine, and moved the expulsion of the correspondent from the floor of the Senate chamber.

Gibbons moved to amend by adding that no reporter from that paper be, in the future, allowed the privileges of the floor.

Lewis accepted the amendment, and the resolution, as amended, was then adopted under a *viva voce* vote, there being few faint noes when the question was put from the chair. Sergeant-at-arms Hawkins then conducted the correspondent, who had taken the place of Somers since the Wilcox melee, outside of the bar of the chamber.

Enthusiastic Railway Meeting.

UKIAH, Cal., Jan. 28.—A large and enthusiastic railroad meeting was held at the court house last evening to hear the report of the committee appointed at the previous meeting of citizens to confer with Col. Donohoe, president of the S. F. & U. P. R. R. Co., to ascertain from him on what terms he would extend his road from Cloverdale to Ukiah. The committee reported that Col. Donohoe would build the road if the county will aid him to the extent of $5,000 per mile, and recommended that his proposition be accepted. The report of the committee was adopted unanimously. A committee was then appointed to draft a bill, submitting to the voters of the county the question of granting a subsidy, and to transmit the same to Hon. P. McGarvey and J. M. Covington, senator and assemblyman, with a request that they urge its passage.

Clear at Last.

CHICO, Jan. 28.—To-day is the first clear day we have had for two months. The weather is cold and prospects of a fair spell. The late storm insures a large crop this season. The wheat was never in better condition.

Committed Suicide.

HOLLISTER, Jan. 28.—W. J. Letcher, an old and most respected citizen of this place, and formerly a resident of San Jose, committed suicide by cutting his throat. About 2 o'clock this morning he got up, dressed himself and left his house. His wife becoming alarmed at his long absence, called for assistance and search was at once instituted, but without success. The citizens called a meeting and men were sent out in all directions and search was kept up until 12 o'clock, when his body was discovered in an old, unoccupied shanty, half a mile from town, with his throat cut and the razor still in his hand. Depressed spirits is the only cause known. The shock was so great to his wife, that physicians have but little or no hope of her recovery.

Los Angeles.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 28.—The weather has cleared up mild and pleasant, and business is rapidly resuming its wonted activity.

It is announced that the break in railroad communications north will be repaired to-night.

Suicide.

Adam Malczewsky, proprietor of the hotel at Petroleopolis, committed suicide by taking poison there to-day.

Weather.

The weather throughout the day has been cold and clear, with a fresh breeze from the northeast. This evening the wind is light from the west, with a clear sky. Barometer high, and every indication for continued fair weather.

OREGON.

Snow was six inches deep in King's Valley a few days ago.

A man at Marion station buys about 1,200 dozen of eggs every week.

Linn county council meets at Knox B[illegible] Grange hall at 10 o'clock A. M., Monday, February 14, 1876.

The *Register* reports 300,000 bushels of [illegible] at Albany, 50,000 bushels at Halsey and [illegible] bushels at Shedd.

Gov. Thompson, the newly appointed [illegible]ntive of Idaho, will probably be at [illegible] by the middle of February.

Miss Melissa Dodge, of Lebanon, who ran away from her parents' residence several days ago, has not yet been heard from.

A correspondent of the *Independent* [illegible] candidates for office are coming to the front in great numbers in Washington county.

A new comer at Turner's station, who is said to have the means, talks of building a mill at that place, and the people there[illegible] are accordingly in lively hope.

The farmers in the vicinity of Jefferson are agitating the question of building a light draught steamboat for transporting their produce to Portland during high water.

The house of Mr. Samuel Neary, who lives about two miles southwest of Corvallis, was entered during his absence, one day last week, and several articles stolen, also $1 50 in coin.

The citizens of Dilley, Washington county, have been called to assemble themselves together on the 29th, and consult as to the best means of securing the erection of a flouring mill on that place.

From an examination of the records of Douglas county it is found there have been 339 deeds and 103 mortgages recorded [illegible] the past year; 78 marriage licenses granted [illegible] 104 mining claims recorded.

The Boise *Statesman*, the leading Republican paper in Idaho, considers the appointment of Henry E. Prickett as associate justice for that Territory, as the most unfortunate, that has ever been made in that region.

The Albany express on Wednesday [illegible] dissected a live horse near the Salem [illegible]. Fragments ornamented the cow-catcher and entire front of the engine. The animal carelessly placed himself in front of the passenger train.

The town of Gervais is working under incorporation laws and constructing sidewalks, grading streets and supporting a police [illegible]. The total valuation of property [illegible], in round numbers, $150,000, on which a [illegible] mill tax is levied for city or corporation purposes.

Mr. Perkins, keeper of a hotel at Ros[illegible], received a severe cut in the arm from a knife in the hands of one Heldringer. He had called for and got his supper and started to leave without paying for it. Perkins [illegible] took to accelerate the departure when the cutting happened.

At Marion station, Mr. J. M. Johns, of Salem, has been engaged in shipping wheat and packing pork. Of the former he has handled about 50,000 bushels, and packed 265 hogs, which average about 265 pounds each, which he has cured and converted into bacon, which is nearly all ready for market.

The Albany *Democrat* has been shown by Mr. Geo. F. Simpson, of the Farmers' Warehouse, in Albany, the estimates on the construction of a ship designed to be built by the Oregon farmers, provided the scheme meets with favor. The following are the proportions of the proposed vessel: Length on deck, 188 feet; depth, 24½; draws, when loaded, 22 feet; carrying capacity 1,500 tons; will cost $84,900. If divided into 64 shares the shares will cost $1,350 50 each.

The *Register* says: "A failure of [illegible] is predicted in Oregon the coming season. The early fall rains were too slight to prepare the ground for plowing. The great storm that set in in November and continued until December, with scarcely a day's let up, astonished the oldest settlers, who had never experienced anything like it. During the prevalence of this terrible storm the ground became too wet, generally, to work, and little or no plowing was done. And the ground is generally too wet as yet to be put in order. Oregonians have boasted that there has never been a total failure of the crops here, and if this season should prove to the contrary, it will be the first on record. But we apprehend that no such calamity is to befall Oregon this season.

A SHOCK TO FAITH.—A lady, thinking it time for her little girl to put away childish things, informed her that Santa Claus was a "made-up" person—that there was no such person at all. Upon which the child, with becoming solemnity, asked: "Mamma, have you been telling me lies about Jesus Christ, too?"—*Hartford Times.*

FAITH ILLUSTRATED.—Willie was disputing with his sister. "It is true," he said firmly, "for mother says so, and if she says so, it is so, if it ain't so."—*Springfield Republican.*

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K. of P.—Excelsior Lodge No. 1, meets every Wednesday evening at 7½ o'clock in Castle Hall, corner First and Taylor streets. Members of Sister Lodges and sojourning brethren are cordially invited to attend.
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